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INDIANS SUSPECTED OE MURDER BEING TRAILED

Ten Die In Monarchist Uprising In Germany

Mexia Shrine Circus Opens Here Tonight At 7 Oclock

Cherokees Are Thought ToBe Little Girl Slayer

PRYOR, Okla., May 12.—A citizens posse searched Mayes county today for two Cherokee Indians who are suspected as the slayers of nine year old Ida Thompson whose body was found hidden under a log near here Sunday. The girl disappeared Saturday night while out hunting for a strayed cow.

PARTY IN POWER IN FRANCE IS FAILURE SAY THE FRENCH

By WEBB MILLER
(United Press Staff Correspondent)

PARIS, May 12.—Premier Poincare and the National bloc which has governed France for five years met surprising defeat in Sunday's national elections.

An avalanche of votes swept into office a majority of the Left the radical Socialists appearing the strongest party in the forthcoming Parliament.

The group which will control the Chamber of Deputies favors moderation towards Germany.

Many of Poincare's foreign policies are certain to be replaced by others of a conciliatory nature.

The Premier may resign at once and it is possible that President Millerand, who created the national bloc which has met its defeat may resign as well.

Returns shortly after noon showed the parties of the left, including the Communists, secured 229 seats against 153 for the national bloc with 302 results yet to be announced.

Over 80 per cent of the voters, an unusually high number for France, went to the polls yesterday. Weather conditions were perfect. Victory for the left was achieved by overwhelming majorities in the provinces. Partisans of Poincare a majority and those who voted early last night believed to be winning.

L'Oeuvre, a workers newspaper, claims that the left has assured control of the Chamber of Deputies and says that the victory wrecked its highest hope.

In many departments, Communists and Socialists combined forces sweeping many Communists into office.

Leaders of the left claim the result is an overwhelming repudiation of Poincare's foreign policies, incluing the Ruhr.

The Premier's supporters, however, claim the overthrow was due to dissatisfaction with the cost of living, recent raising of the tax rate and other domestic matters.

The new chamber, despite what Poincare's followers say, will undoubtedly effect modification of France's foreign policies and lean towards conciliation in relations with Great Britain, Germany and possibly with Russia.

Jacques Doriot, a Communist, who is at present in jail, was elected by a heavy vote, Ex-Minister Malvy, who until recently was banished from France, also won a seat. The Royalist leader Daudet was defeated badly.

There will be almost an entirely new Chamber when Parliament convenes in June.

"Happiest Man" Victim of Hammer Assassin.

DR. G. K. NIELSON

Dr. George K. Nielson, chiropractor, of Newark, N. J., was found in his home there with his head crushed in with a hammer. John Vollmer, a boarder in his home, was arrested. Only the day before the assault Nielson had declared he was "the happiest man in the world" when his baby was photographed for the newspapers as "the perfect baby of a perfect union." No reason for the assault was known.

MEXIA MEN ARE IN SAN ANTONIO FOR K. P. MEETING OF WEEK

Major N. P. Houx and J. Frank Cogdell are in San Antonio this week for the meeting of Knights of Pythians. They left Saturday night. Cards from them today indicate their arrival there. They were met at the station by Judge D. Leon Harp, formerly Mayor of Mexia.

Norman Cox and wife have returned to Rule, Texas, after a visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Cox in this city.

INTERSCTIONAL GAMES PROVE HARD FOR CHAMPS

By HENRY L. FARRELL
(United Press Staff Correspondent)

NEW YORK, May 12.—Intersectional games in the major leagues which will feature the pennant race for almost a month, are bearing out the contention that the two champion clubs have their most serious opposition in the West. The New York

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Cotton Buyer Is Shot Down While Resisting Arrest

WHITEWRIGHT, Texas, May 12.—Deputy Sheriff Ed Lankford was released on personal cognizance today after he had offered to surrender for the shooting to death of Monroe Bryant, local cotton buyer. According to officers Bryant was shot down Sunday night while resisting arrest.

FRENCH FLIER IS NOW IN CHINA

PARIS, May 12.—Lieutenant Pelletier d'Oisy, French airman who flew from Paris, has arrived at Saigon, the capital of French Cochin China, it was officially announced today.

PARADE FEATURE PRECEDES THE OPENING OF BIG SHOW

Immediately following the parade tonight at seven o'clock the Shrine Circus will open dors, and the citizens of Mexia will see one of the biggest and best shows that has ever played in this city.

An added attraction of the Circus will be the Harison Troupe", world famed cyclists, who have tra-

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SUNDAY IS UNDER DOCTOR'S CARE IN MEMPHIS TENNESSEE

MEMPHIS, Tenn., May 12.—Billy Sunday, evangelist was under care of physicians at his hotel here today, following an attack of food poisoning. Doctors hoped to have him in physical condition to resume his preaching here tomorrow. Sunday was unable to deliver two scheduled sermons yesterday. He has been in a highly nervous state since Mrs. Sunday was injured in an auto accident two weeks ago.

CONGRESS PLANS TO FIND WAY THROUGH IN A MONTH

By PAUL R. MALLON
(United Press Staff Correspondent)

WASHINGTON, May 12.—With adjournment of Congress arranged for four weeks from today, Capitol leaders are groping for a way out of their legislative dilemma in the hope of avoiding an extra session of Congress.

Talk of coming back after the con-

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Plans Call For Bringing Back Lost Aviators

CORDOVA, Alaska, May 12.—Preparations to bring Major Frederick L. Martin and Sergeant Alva Harvey, American round-the-world flyers, to Dutch Harbor, Unalaska, were under way today.

The Coast Guard cutter Algonquin was ordered from Dutch Harbor to Port Moller on the Behring Sea shore of the Alaskan peninsula, to bring the aviators—who miraculously escaped death—to Dutch Harbor.

Reports from Port Moller tell of stirring scenes when Martin and Harvey, tired from a week of tramping over the frozen Arctic wastes unshaven and unkept, walked into the little village.

Tury Royalty Is To Run It Out This Afternoon

BALTIMORE, Md., May 12.—Twenty-one 3-year-old horses, members of turf royalty, will compete in the Preakness, classic of the Maryland turf, which will be run at Pimlico at 4 p. m. today.

Every hotel and rooming house is crowded with men and women who will watch the filly or colt win for its owner more than $50,000 and the coveted Woodlawn vase, after clicking off one and one-eighth mile on the historic Pimlico course.

Today's will be the sixteenth renewal of the Preakness.

Franc Drops Far When Elections Are Determined

PARIS, May 12.—The French franc dropped sharply today to 17.40 to the dollar when it became apparent the Government had been defeated in the national elections. Saturday's closing was at 16.75.

The victory of the radical Socialists and other parties of the Left over Poincare is considered as making certain a settlement of the reparations problem on hte basis of the experts' report.

Day Buys Variety Store In Mexia

T. E. Day has bought the People's Variety Store and has taken charge of the concern located on South Sherman street. The firm name will be known hereafter as Day's Variety Store.

Mr. Day purchased the institution from C. A. Samford and F. P. Huchingson.

Mr. Day was formerly connected with the insurance firm of Nolan and Day. He sold his interest in that concern three months ago today.

ABOVE: MAJOR F. L. MARTIN
BELOW: SERGT. ALVA HARVEY

LOST AVIATORS TRUDGE BACK TO ALASKAN SETTLEMENT

BREMERTON, Wash., May 12.—Major Frederick L. Martin, missing commander of the United States army's round-the-world flight expedition, is safe with his mechanician, Sergeant Alva L. Harvey.

The two American airmen reported by radio that their plane crashed into a mountain top after they took off from Chignik a week ago last Wednesday but that neither of them were injured.

They have asked the War Department for instructions.

WASHINGTON, May 12.—Major Frederick L. Martin and Sergeant Harvey may be given another plane and started in pursuit of their comrades in the round-the-word flight as soon as the necessary arrangements can be made, air service officials said today.

Word of the finding of Martin and Harvey at Port Moller, Alaska, was received by General Patrick, head of the air service in a message from Unalaska, dated Saturday, which read:

"Major Martin and Harvey arrived Port Moller 6 o'clock tonight. Reported in good condition. Am sending out Algonquin, one boiler from Unalaska to their assistance.

General Patrick and other officers of the department will confer today on the instructions to be sent to Martin. They are awaiting also a more detailed report of the accident which caused Martin's plane, the flagship of the fleet of four, to crash into a mountainside not far from Chignik.

Army officers here were interested in reports that "concentrated food" proved the salvation of the two airmen in their batle wih the storm and other difficulties of the Northern waste. Officers said they did not know exactly what this food with as Major Martin was provided with funds to supply his fleet with food and purchased it himself.

As soon as word was received here from Unalaska, President Coolidge was notified and expressed his great relief over the finding of the flyers.

The President and Mrs. Coolidge had manifested deep concern but neither would abandon hope the air-

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THE WEATHER

East Texas—Tonight cloudy with showers in the west. Warmer Tuesday and unsettled with scattered showers.

West Texas—Tonight unsettled with showers except in the southwest. Tuesday partly cloudy.

70,000 Goose Step Before Members of Old Rule

By CARL D. GROAT
(United Press Staff Correspondent)

HALLE, Germany, May 12.—Ten dead, several score injured and more than 500 arrested was the toll of Sunday's mighty Monarchist demonstration in which 70,000 goose stepped in parade past General Ludendorff and the ex-Kaiser's son, Oscar.

It was Communists, attempting to interfere with the demonstrations who paid with their lives for the attempt. Police from behind barriers, poured a volley into the Red mob which marched on the outskirts of the city.

Folkists speakers, advocating a return of the monarchy in such phrases as "we never will rest until we again have a kaiser," harangued cheering throngs at the Halle race tracks.

The occasion was the unveiling of a statue of General von Moltke, to replace one destroyed by Communists.

CHINA EXPECTS RESIGNATION OF ITS OLD CABINET

TOKIO, May 12.—The Government of Premier Kiyoura, appeared to have been defeated soundly in Saturday's national election on the basis of still incomplete returns today.

Many newspapers predict resignation of the Cabinet, but a Government spokesman declared this would not occur, even if the Seiyhonto, or Kiyoura party were beaten.

Ticket Sale Is Getting Started For Big Battle

MICHIGAN CITY, Ind., May 12.—The first block of $50,000 worth of tickets for the Gibbons-Carpentier fight here May 31, has been sold, Jim Coffey, one of the promoters, announced today.

Interest in the bout, which had been lagging, was revived when Tommy Gibbons arrived on the scene and started his hard training grind.

Gibbon's camp is Grand Beach, a few miles from Michigan City. He is stopping at the Golfmore hotel and the entire convention hall annex is being transformed into a private gymnasium.

Harvey's Mother Very Happy Over Return of Fliers

CLEBURNE, Texas, May 12.—"My prayers were answered on Mothers' Day—I am the happiest mother in the world."

Mrs. Luther Harvey, mother of Sergeant Alva L. Harvey, round-the-world flyer, made this statement Sunday night when informed her son had been rescued in Alaska.

"We prayed constantly—Not for a moment did we lose hope," she said.

"For the rest of my life this will be the finest Mothers' Day of all."

THE WORLD IN TABLOID

Lost Fliers Called to Washington

WASHINGTON, May 12.—Major General Patrick, Chief of the Air Service, today ordered Major Frederick L. Martin, Commander of American round the world flyers, and his sergeant mechinic, Alva Harvey, to return to Washington. Both men will rejoin the round the world flyers somewhere in Europe or Asia, depending on where they will be able to reach them traveling eastward from the United States.

Flood Rages in Historic Virginia

HARRISBURG, Virginia, May 12.—The greatest flood since 1870, the year of the big flood, is plunging down the Shenandoah valley river to the gateway at Harpers Ferry today. A thirty hour rainstorm in the upper valley regions around the headwaters of the Shenandoah river sent a deluge of water into the two branches of the river. Between Harrisburg and Staunton the farms have been converted into a lake. The Hydropower plant here is engulfed. All bridges are reparted out and railroad hight of ways inundated.

Cumberland Menaced by Water

CUMBERLAND, Maryland, May 12.—Cumberland is maneced by another serious flood today. The heart of the city is under 18 inches of water and the flood from Mills creek is increasing. A man's body was found in the Potomac in Sir John's Run near here.

Methodists to Urge Peace on Earth

SPRINGFIELD, Mass., Mary 12.—The Methodist Episcopal church will petition both major political parties to incorporate in their platforms a plank outlawing war according to a resolution of the Quadrennial General Conference here adopted today.

Subject of Deficit Is Raised by Smoot

WASHINGTON, May 12.—The government will be faced with a deficit of nearly a half a million dollars if the tax bill as passed the Senate and appropriation measures now under considertion become laws, President Coolidge and Secretary Mellon were warned today by Senator Smoot, Chairman of the Senate Finance Committee.

Poincare Decides to Resign Office

PARIS, May 12.—Premier Poincare has decided that he must resign as a result of the defeat of the National Bloc in the Parliamentary elections, it was learned last night. The Premier returned hurriedly to Paris this afternoon from a week end in the country and consulted with his ministers at which time his decision to resign was reached.

GENERAL ASSEMBLY AT SAN ANTONIO TO BE ATTENDED BY PRESBYTERIANS OF FIRST CHURCH OF THIS CITY

The General Assembly of Presbyterian church in the U. S. will meet in 64th annual session at the First Presbyterian church in San Antonio at 11 a. m. Thursday of this week. Rev. C. H. Hudson, local pastor, and other members of the congregation here are expecting to attend.

The call to pray each Sunday preceding the assembly was observed here Sunday and throughout the denomination.

The assembly program follows:

Thursday, May 15.

Assembly meets 11:00 a. m. Sermon by Dr. Alexander Sprunt, retiring moderator. Celebration of the Lord's Supper following the sermon.

At 2:30 p. m. the enrollment of commissioners will be announced and a moderator and clerks will be elected. Reports of the Executive Committees of Foreign Missions and Home Missions will be submitted.

Friday, May 16.

Announcement of Standing Committees. Reading and referring to Overtures. Reports from Executive Committees, Woman's Auxiliary and Stewardship committee. Popular meeting in the evening in interest of Publication and Sabbath School work.

Saturday, May 17.

Report of Committee on Foreign

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"FOR MEXIA, I WILL."

COOLIDGE CHURCHMEN BUILD WELL.

Methodists of this city who attended the District Conference held last week at Coloidge were very much impressed with the magnificent new church built by the Methodists of that congregation. They cannot say too much in praise of the men and women there who underwent the sacrifices necessary to build such a structure. Rev. W. B. Andrews, pastor here, spoke very complimentary of the plant and hospitality of the members there in his sermon here Sunday morning. The people of a community cannot hide their lights under a bushel when they put their means into temples dedicated to the service of the Christ upon whom America was founded.

A PROGRAM OF FARM DEVELOPMENT

The Mexia Chamber of Commerce could do not better thing at present than to direct its attention to a well defined program, designed to stimulate farm development through poultry raising and the production of creamery products. Quite a few sections of Texas have entered these fields and they are finding that it distributes prosperity more generally and makes for better times than any other agricultural activities. A section near here, attesting that fact, is the counties of Erath and Hamilton, about 100 miles West of Waco. Hundreds of thousands of dollars are brought into those counties annually because of the great crops of poultry, eggs, and creamery products. In fact more money is derived by the farmers from these crops alone than Limestone and Freestone counties get out of their cotton production. With excellent home markets and with main lines leading from Mexia to every one of the larger cities of the State, which places may be reached in a few hours by rail, Limestone and Freestone counties are well located for such an activity. More poultry and cream products are brought to Mexia by train and sold here than by wagon or auto.

There is no reason under the sun why poultry farms should not prove profitable in this section, unless it be the one that no market locally is available to serve as the distributing and sales center for poultry products to be marketed through. And this is indeed important and a service which the Chamber of Commerce could render. It could secure a man or company for Mexia to enter this business, giving him the support of a poultry production program, fostered and encouraged by the Chamber of Commerce.

The first thing to do is to secure the services of a Secretary of the Chamber of Commerce who is in sympathy with such a program and who knows how to win the respect of the farmers of the section.

The next thing to do would be to secure an expert in handling farm products, who would be willing to engage in the business here. This would afford a local market, a distributing center, similar to that afforded at Winnsboro, through W. A. Nabors, now Railroad Commissioner of Texas. The work of Mr. Nabors added millions of dollars of wealth to that part of East Texas in the past few years. At present when a farmer brings anything to town, he has to peddle it out from house to house, or peddle it to some local store. This arrangement is discouraging at the outset. It takes up the time of the farmer who ought to spend that time in production rather than in peddling. Too, a peddlar's route is so uncertain.

The third thing necessary to a program of this kind would be to secure an ice cold storage here adequate to accomodate the farm products brought here for sale. This is important as a storage is required to keep the products fresh until a shipment is ready.

A market here would enable every farmer in the section to bring his eggs or whatever chickens he has to sell and find a ready market. He might not have but a dozen eggs, but it would be that much and by the end of the year a neat sum would be derived, the money distributed generally throughout the country. It would mean that Mexia would be the center of agricultural activities, bringing hundreds of farmers here every week and the entire section would be benefited.

Every farm is an industry in itself. There are thousands of these industries within Mexia's trade territory. It is important therefore, that every help possible be given these industries.

THE EDITORIAL OF THE DAY

WISE MEN AND FOOLS

In France the centenary of Henri Fabre, the distinguished entomologist, has just been observed. Among the amusing revelations which the celebration has made concerning a man whose greatness is just beginning to be generally known was what the rustics of the place where he spent the last 25 years of his life were in the habit of calling him, "le fou." This unflattering estimate of the powers of Fabre admits him to a very brilliant fraternity of men whose visions were too bright for the common eye and who were therefore dubbed idiots by the mediocre in intelligence. It is a very old story; the one of the far-seeing scientists being called fool by the smug persons who have failed to understand this inspiration. And instance which comes readily to mind is that of Columbus, who was treated as the mad by his ignorant sailors. There is a story, too, of Darwin's gardener who thought that his master was pitiably feeble-minded and explained to the scientist's callers that "if only he had something to do . . he would be better." And, to mention only one more recent instance, neighbors were of the opinion at one time that Henry Ford, who has since proved himself quite competent in his own field, was an utter fool.

To the thoughtful these instances will suggest the inadvisability of offering casual estimates of the mental powers of those whose work we find ourselves incapable of understanding. We still live in a time of discovery and at a stroke by one of the intellectual supermen all that we have been cherishing as sound may be overthrown. It is indiscreet to call anyone who is thinking and acting independently a fool, because a future generation may make a different report.—St. Paul Pioneer Press.

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WITHOUT COMMENT

Fit for His Mother to Hear

(From the Milwaukee Journal)

William Hodge, the famous actor, in a talk before a ...ew York audience about a cleaner stage said recently:

"Every morning I feel as though I link my arm with God and walk with Him through the day. For 32 years I have refused to 'touch' anything not wholesome, fit for my mother to hear. With other men and women I am making a fight to purge the stage. Gentlemen, next time you say the rotten theater—don't say it! Say a rotten theater."

Here is a man who has entertained thousands. He used as his medium such plays as The Sky Farm, The Dream City, The Man From Home, and The Road to Happiness. And he succeeded. Maybe there is that streak of human nature which likes to get a thrill from something a bit naughty. But William Hodge did not cater to it. He gave them something else, he used his talents to put it across the footlights and they went away satisfied. And Hodge knew that he had not debased himself.

Hodge has the answer to the producer who brings out the old excuse for the salacious show, "Well, you've got to give 'em what they want." That excuse has done more harm to the American stage than any other one thing. Reduced to its exact meaning, it says, "Go the limit." And that in turn means debasement.

But the recent history of Broadway bears out the Hodge judgment rather than the judgment of the salacious producer. The shows that have had the longest runs have been clean—Lig'tnin', for instance. That would indicate that the theater-going public does not ask the actor and the producer to debase themselves in order that the public may be entertained. It is a brightening hope when a man can say conscientiously that he can walk the "boards" and still "link his arm with God."

Alvin Owsley for Vice President

There have been numerous indorsements of Colonel Alvin Owsley of Texas for the vice presidency. This has been a matter of seeking preferment upon the part of Colonel Owsley; but largely comes from those with State pride who would wish to see a Texan of the caliber of Colonel Owsley thus honored.

Tom Love opposes Colonel Owsley; as he opposes any other who is likely to in the least detract from the glorification of Tom Love. He has—he can have—no specific valid reason for any opposition to Colonel Owsley.

If the name of Colonel Owsley be presented to the National convention it will command at least a large complimentary vote—possibly might be successful; for he is a National figure as the result of his service as commander of the American Legion. Paris Morning News.

Sell Texas to Texans

If we would "sell" Texas and its opportunities to the world we must first sell it to Texans. No salesman who is not sold on the products he merchandises will make much progress.

Bring a visitor to Texas and he will see acres of diamonds beneath what seems very humdrum country to too many of those who live here.

Put the rippling streams of cool, water, coursing beneath bending trees, that lie within walking distance of our skyscrapers, in some American wonderlands and they would bring millions of dollars.

One of the best things our schools are doinng is teaching our boys and girls intelligent appreciation of Texas. We have the wonder commonwealth of the Nation here. Let's tell the world about Texas—after we have learned about it ourselves.—Fort Worth Record.

Texas Democracy Is Progressive.

The McAdoo forces will dominate the Waco convention.

The Texas democracy will say that as it sees the matter, William Gibbs McAdoo is the man to put up as the party's standard-bearer.

Mr. McAdoo is a decided progressive, as that term is now generally understood and used.

Turn out the reactionaries and put in the progressives; that will be the battle cry of the democratic party in the event Mr. McAdoo is the nominee.

Texas democracy has put the stamp of its approval on progressive policies.—Waco Times-Herald.

Job Calls for a Cool Head

(From the Indianapolis tar.)

In view of the flurry that Japanese ambassador's note has stirred up, peace-loving citizens will take great satisfaction in the fact that Hiram is hopelessly out of the running.

Hasn't Missed Chance to Talk

(From the Detroit News)

Hi Johnson missed his train, and there is a sentiment that he has missed something else he has been running for.

Local News

Miss Elizabeth and Mary Johns of Ft. Worth were the delightful guests here the past week of Mrs. Chas. Brownlow, their aunt. They left on an early train today for their home.

Mr. and Mrs. Monte Lawrence of Waco came over Sunday to visit in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Desenberg.

The Pioneer Newsies Ball Club held a meeting Friday night in the office of the business manager. After about two hours discussion the boys came to the conclusion that it is impossible to get games with boys their age and therefore decided to play any and every club which might desire a tilt with them.

Mrs. C. Thomas and T. L. Wiggins were hostesses at a 1 o'clock luncheon Monday at the Thomas home, in honor of Miss Franks, recently returned from California. Spring flowers were used in the decorations and the time after the luncheon was pleasantly spent over needlework.

Mrs. T. A. Kindred, 411 East Main street, has many Mexican Firebush plants which she will be glad to give to any who will call for them at once. The plants are very beautiful and would cost quite a good deal if ordered. Mrs. Kindred has more than she needs and has generously offered to give them to anyone wanting them.

One of the most charming guests of the season in Mexia was that of Miss Irene Jennison of San Antonio who spent last week in the home of her aunt, Mrs. Charles Miller. She left Monday afternoon with many pleasant memories of the visit here.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon McBride of Corsicana were visitors Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Owen F. Watkins. They formerly resided here and have many friends in the Mexia community.

If you have a guest show them the courtesy of letting The News tell the public about their presence here. Phone 146 or send in the item.

A large number of baseball fans from surrounding communities were here to see the game Saturday between the Gushers and thee Marlin Bathers.

Mr. and Mrs. Blake Smith returned Saturday night from Fort Worth where they spent Friday and Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Desenberg returned Sunday from a trip of about three weeks which carried them to points in the Middle West, East and to Cuba.

Considerable work is being done at present on the unpaved streets of Mexia, lending considerably to their appearance and service.

Mrs. Tom Bounds and daughters, Mesdames Jessie Miller and Allie Floyd, of Tehuacana were among the visitors to the city Saturday.

Miss Martha Williamson of Waco spent the week end in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Julian of this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Marcus Cannon and Mrs. Clyde Black of Thornton were visitors in the city Sunday.

Mrs. George Peyton is on a two weeks visit with a sister and other relatives in Shreveport, La.

Drew Sawyer was here Saturday from Shiloh.

J. H. Shelfer of Currie was on the streets Saturday.

James G. Willis of Tehuacana was a visitor to Mexia Saturday.

Rev. and Mrs. G. W. Kincheloe were in Corsicana Saturday.

David Murphy and Tom Nolan are on a fishing expedition this week.

Charles Watson and family and Dr. Clay Watson of Waco spent Sunday with their home folks here.

H. G. McNeese, formerly of this city, in now Secretary of the Motion Picture Theatres of Texas. According to reports from the company his services in this connection have won the commendation of all the directors. Dallas is his headquarters.

Mesdames W. K. Boyd and E. L. Smith are in Waco for the day.

Mrs. Blake Forrest is to leave today for Dallas.

The spinster carries a watch in order to husband her time, and the married woman for the purpose to timing her husband.

Laugh a little more at your own troubles and a little less at your neighbor's.

Tombstones cleaned at graves. Satisfactory work or no pay. See me at 103 Carthage street. G. W. Northcutt. 29-7

The accused must be deeply interested in the testimony of a witness when he hangs on his words.

Contrary to the general rule, th street car company finds the hanger on a source of revenue.

Too Late to Classify

FOR SALE—One Singer Sewing Machine almost new. This is a bargain. Langston Furniture. Phone 56. 12J

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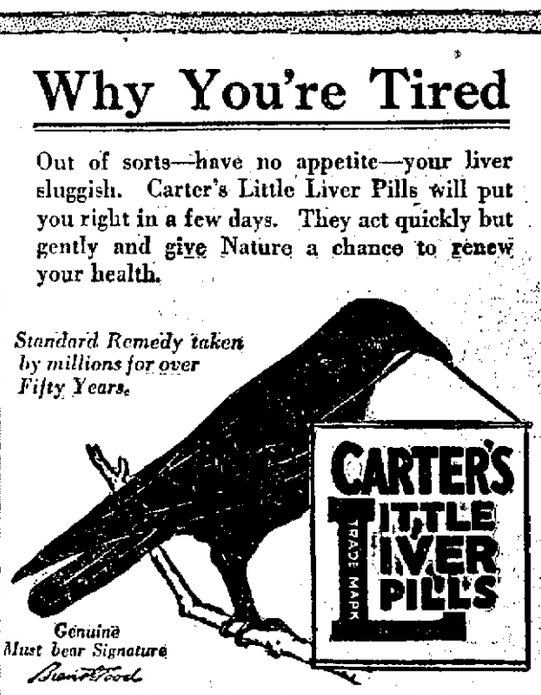
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Intersectional Games Prove Hard For Champs

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Giants, playing championship ball rode wildly over the weaker Eastern clubs and accumulated what looked like a commanding lead but they slipped badly when they were given their first real challenge and they now have a lead of only a half gave over the dangerous Cincinnati Reds.

The Giants have their first slump against the poor Phillies when they blew a pair of games just before they hit the road on their first trip of the season and they dropped two more against the Cards.

The Cards are by record the weakest club in the West and the Reds, the Cubs and the Pirates should give the champions much more trouble than they are now having.

The Boston Braves were a surprise in their first series against the Pirates when they won the first two games. The Pirates are badly in need of pitchers and they will miss Babe Adams, whose arm has failed and who is practically through.

The losing streak of the Philadelphia Athletics has been one of the unusual features of the American League race. Connie Mack's team has dropped eleven games in a row and looks to be after a record. The Athletics were regarded before the season opened as one of the promising clubs in the league but they have been unable to get started.

Last year the Athletics ran into the same kind of a slump when they dropped twelve straight games after they had been up around the top of the league and they never did get back on their feet again.

Terrible weather that has caused numerous postponements is saddling a handicap on the New York Yankees that may prove heavy when Miller Huggins has to get into the double-headers.

Opening Review.

NEW YORK, May 12.—The stock market opened easier. Studebaker opened 321; Congoleum 39, North American 34 1-8; Woolen 64 1-4; New York Central 100, off 1-8; Marland 29 1-4, off 1-4; Atchison 100 7-8; Pan-American B 45 3-8, off 1-4; Steel 95 1-2 to 95 7-8 (5,000 shares,) off 1-4; New Haven 19 3-8; American Can 100, off 1 5-8; Texas Company 39, off 1-4; Leading 53.

Parade Feature Precedes Show

veled with some of the largest circuses in this country and abroad.

From all reports the parade tonight will be different from any other parade ever held in Mexia, and several surprises are in store, one of the special features being an automobile known as the "Bucking Broncho."

Prominent Citizen to Attempt Riding Broncho

Floid Hughes, a prominent citizen of Mexia, has stated that he would ride the "Bucking Broncho" in the parade tonight, and wagers have been made as to whether he can stay on the broncho without grabbing leather.

All the ladies are requested to be with their gentlemen and Nobles for the parade, and all Nobles are especially stressed to wear their fez.

Tuesday night at 7 o'clock sharp on the streets of Mexia a feat never before attempted in Mexia, will be the driving of an Overland automobile down the main streets of Mexia at break-neck speed. This automobile was brought from Waco especially for this experiment, and the populace of Mexia is invited to witness this novel and entertaining free experiment. This automobile will be driven down the streets at forty miles an hour backwards.

A free band concert will be given on the streets every night before the circus performance, and various features in the way of added attractions will be given every night during the circus.

The officers of the Shrine Club report a heavy advance ticket sale, and every thing points to the success of the circus and a gala week of entertainment.

WATCHING THE SCOREBOARD

Three errors by Jackson kept Gearin in trouble and the Giants lost the second game of the Western trip, the Cards winning 3 to 2.

The Athletics lost their eleventh straight game, the Indians copping 8 to 5.

Carlson was better in the pinches than Luque and the Phils beat the Reds 2 to 0.

Dutch Reuther was given a good pounding and the Cubs beat the Robins 5 to 4.

SAN PAULO, Brazil.—Erminio Spalla, European heavyweight champion, knocked out Benedicto, Brazilian heavyweight in the ninth round.

Congress Plans to Find Way Thru The Month

(Continued From Page One)

vention has again been revived, but party leaders still hold hopes of cleaning the legislative slate. This week will decide.

If President Coolidge vetoes the bonus, immigration or tax bills which are not to his liking, an extra session is considered inevitable

Here are how the prospects shape up now:

Tax reduction:

House and Senate bills go to conference today with prospects that the bill finally decided upon can not be placed before the President for two weeks.

Farm Relief:

The McNary-Haugen and Sinclair Norris price stabilization bills to be taken up by both Senate and House this week with a lengthy fight in prospect.

Railroads:

Senate Interstate Commerce Committee is preparing to report out the Smith resolution declaring agriculture a basic industry and instructing the Government rate-making commission to lower freight rates on farm products.

World court:

Seems lodged between the legislative jam in the Foreign Relations Committee. Democratic leaders, however, are planning to bring it arbitrarily to the floor and some kind of a vote on the issue will be forced before adjournment.

Immigration:

Conferees report will be passed by both houses this week and the bill sent to the President.

Bonus:

Leaders making arrangements to adopt the bill speedily if Mr. Coolidge vetoes it today or tomorrow!

For Mexia, I WILL.

Citizens Speak Of Unrest Found Outside of Mexia

Hon. James Gresham of this city has returned from Washington, D. C. where he had a case in the Supreme Court of the United States.

He states that he found considerable unrest in all states through which he passed, with Texas in better condition than any of them and a better feeling at Mexia than in any other place.

This same word was brought back by W. K. Boyd who spent a couple of weeks in Mississippi recently and again repeated by J. Desenberg who has returned from an extensive trip.

Everyone who has gone anywhere in the past several weeks comes back with the same bit of information, bear ing out that Mexia is the best town in the best state in the best nation on earth.

FIGHTS AND FIGHTERS

NEW YORK.—Johnny Dundee, Junior lightweight and featherweight champion, has been matched to meet Louis Vincentini, Chilean champion at the Velodrome here May 28. Dundee's titles will not be at stake.

NEW YORK.—Bad weather today threatened to cause a postponement of the opening contest of the outdoor season between Harry Wills, negro heavyweight and Bartley Madden. The contest was scheduled for tonight in the new Queensboro Stadium. Promoters said that the contest would not be postponed unless it was raining at the time for the preliminaries to start. Wills was better than a 2 to 1 favorite to win in the betting.

Don't form an opinion until you have heard both sides—except in the case of a bass drum.

Why does a man's wife imagine that he has been drinking every time he calls her an angel?

Brownwood Host To W. T. C. of C.

BROWNWOOD, Texas, May 12.—Hundreds of West Texas business men gathered here today for the three-day convention of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce.

Leading cities of West Texas including Dallas, sent special trainloads of good will parties to the convention and social festivities, were arranged by the local business men.

Intense interest was manifested in the queen's ball, which will climax the celebration Thursday night. A hundred beautiful girls, representing that many West Texas towns, will be maids of honor at the coronation ceremonies, and the society ball which follows.

Reservations for 200 couples have been made for the affair, West Texas' biggest social event of the year.

The Westminster band will compete in the College Band Contest to be held at Brownwood this week in connection with other band contests for which prizes are to be given, it was announced at the College Monday. The band will be carried overland in cars and are expected to leave Wednesday.

T. W. Osborne is in charge of the trip and will direct the band. The organization now consists of twenty-two members.

Singing Convention Draws Big Crowd

The county singing convention held at Prairie Point near Groesbeck Saturday night and Sunday was the largest attended and most successful of any previous convention according to those who attended the convention from here. Between four and five thousand persons were present, it is said. Seven counties were represented in the attendance.

T. J. Daugherty of Mexia was elected president of the convention for the next year. A move is now on foot to make the Reunion Ground a permanent place of meeting for the convention.

Some men manage to keep from being imposed upon by being disagreeable.

For Mexia, I WILL.

AMERICAN LEGION TO MEET TUESDAY NIGHT

Owen F. Watkins, Post Commander of the American Legion, has called a meeting of the Legion to be held at the headquarters of the post Tuesday night of this week. A full attendance of the membership is urged.

A. C. Clover, of Addis, La., spent Sunday here on a visit to his brother, Charlie Clover.

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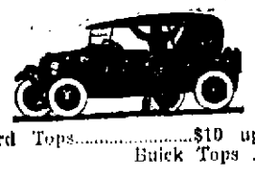

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Gushers Hit Heavily And Win From Bathers

MEXIA THIRD IN PENNANT CHASE IN BASEBALL LEAGUE

The Mexia Gushers won easily in the game staged at Gusher park Sunday afternoon, when they knocked Meeks of Marlin out of the box. Carl Hill occupied the mound for the Gushers.

Mexia is now in third place, with Waco and Corsicana on top.

Another road trip as successful as the first one out will place the local club back in leading position in the pennant race. By defeating Temple Sunday, the Waco Indians went into first place.

Marlin—	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Craig c f	3	0	0	3	0	0
Alexander 2 b-c	4	0	2	5	6	0
Greer 1 f-2 b	4	0	0	2	1	1
Pipkin 1 b	4	2	2	6	1	0
Munson r f	2	0	1	0	1	0
Rawlins s s	3	0	1	6	5	0
White 3 b	4	0	2	0	3	1
Smith c	1	0	0	2	0	0
Meeks p	1	0	0	0	1	0
York p	2	0	0	0	2	0
Gressett 1 f	3	0	0	0	0	0
Total	31	2	8	24	20	2
Mexia—						
Ceppert s s	5	0	2	2	4	1
Wren 1 f	3	1	0	2	1	0
Butler 1 b	2	1	1	9	0	0
Bryan c f	4	2	2	2	0	0
Jones 3 b	2	1	0	1	2	0
McDowell r f	3	0	1	1	0	0
Fowlkes c	3	1	1	5	0	0
Leedy 2 b	3	1	1	3	4	0
Carl Hill p	3	1	1	0	3	0
Total	28	8	9	27	14	1

Gressett batted for Smith in fourth.

Marlin .....010 100 000—2
Mexia .....320 030 00*—8

Home run Pipkin. Two-base hits—Bryan, Leedy. Stolen base—Munson. Struck out—By York 3, Hill 3. Bases on balls—Off Meeks 3, York 5, Hill 3. Pitchers' record—Off Meeks 6 hits, 5 runs in 1 1-3 innings. Losing pitcher—Meeks.

5,280 AUTOMOBILES IN LIMESTONE COUNTY

According to the records in the office of the tax collector of Limestone County at Groesbeck 5,280 licenses have been issued to automobile owners in this county.

There are times when the average boy would like to assume the role of father to the man for a few brief moments.

Rough Dry

The Old Apple Still Getting Long Rides

By HENRY L. FARRELL
(United Press Sports Editor)

NEW YORK, May 12.—Heavy hitting, which was one of the features of the early weeks of the 1924 major league baseball season might be accepted as proof that it was the lively ball more than the decline in pitching that changed the modern game.

Introduction of the lively ball, although the magnates stoutly denied any purpose of scattering Babe Ruth's around the two circuits, came shortly after the rule had been passed against the use of any foreign substance on the ball as an aid to pitchers and they joined to bring about a wild orgy of slugging.

It was an obvious fact that something was wrong and as long as the league presidents persisted in claiming that no changes had been made in the construction of the ball, it had to be accepted that the pitchers had been handicapped too heavily by the rule against the spitted, the shiner, the emery ball and their first cousins of the trick trade.

Umpires were ordered to toss out of play any ball that bore the slightest evidence of tampering and they were so zealous in carrying out the strict letter of the rule that they would throw a new ball in play when ever a ball became soiled or when the hide became scuffed enough for a pitcher to get a hold on it that might make it do tricks.

Hitting, once a feature of the game, became so common that it was in danger of spoiling interest and taking all the science out of the game. To correct this evil the magnates last winter recommended that balls be kept in play longer, so that pitchers would not be forced to work almost entirely with new balls.

Results were almost immediately apparent at the start of the season. Pitchers worked more effectively and it was noticeable that the volume of hitting had been decreased.

At the same time, however, it was shown when a heavy swinger took hold he got just as much of a drive as he did in the past three seasons. While pitchers were able to hold their opposition to fewer hits, they were unable to keep the ball from taking its old ride when it got in front of a heavy swinging club.

In the first two weeks of the major league pennant races there were more home runs hit than were during the corresponding period of the 1923 season.

The total home runs hit in both leagues during the first two weeks of the 1924 season was 75 against 67 hit in the same period the year previous. This year showed a decrease of four in the National and an increase of twelve in the American League.

Some critics were of the opinion that the better form of the pitchers at the first of the pennant races this season was the result of better physical condition. It was pointed out that practically every manager in the major leagues was, more or less, decided about his infield and his outfield when he took his squad South.

MITCHELL CHOKES RALLY

WACO, Texas, May 11.—Mitchell went in in the ninth today and choked off a Temple rally, Waco winning 5 to 4.

Waco—	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Kelly 1 f	4	1	2	0	0	0
Strickland 2 b	4	0	1	2	4	1
Lewis s s	5	0	0	3	3	0
Hall r f	4	2	1	1	0	0
Province c f	4	0	2	1	0	0
Shires 1 b	4	0	1	11	2	0
McBride 3 b	4	1	-	3	2	2
Humphreys c	3	0	3	6	2	0
Ragan p	1	0	0	0	0	0
Mitchell p	0	1	0	0	1	0
Total	33	5	11	27	14	3
Temple—						
Lance 3 b	4	1	1	2	1	0
Moore s s	4	0	0	1	6	1
Brown c f	5	1	1	1	0	0
Lind r f	5	0	0	4	0	0
Royster 1 b	3	0	1	8	1	0
Webb l f	4	1	2	0	0	0
Nichols 2 b	4	1	-	4	0	0
Hudspeth c	4	0	1	4	3	1
Nugent p	3	0	1	0	1	0
Lacy	1	0	1	0	0	0
McCall p	0	0	0	0	1	0
Total	37	4	9*25	13	2	

Lacy batted for Nugent in ninth.
*One out when winning run scored.

Temple .....100 000 003—4
Waco .....011 011 001—5

Two base hits—Humphreys, Nichols Lacy. Stolen bases—Humphreys, Hall Kelly, Mitchell. Strike outs—Ragan 4, Mitchell 1, Nugent 3. Bases on balls—Ragan 1, Mitchell 3, Nugent 2, McCall 3. Pitchers' records—Off Ragan 9 hits, 3 runs in 8 1-3 innings; Mitchell no hits, 1 run in 2-3 inning; McCall, no hits, 1 run in 1-3 inning; Nugent, 4 hits, 11 runs in 8 innings.

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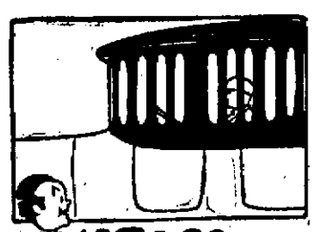

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Correspondence. Report of Permanent Committee on Men's Work. Popular meeting in the evening in the interest of Foreign Missions.

Sunday, May 18.

No sessions of the Assembly. Pulpit of San Antonio churches occupied by commissioners.

Monday, May 19.

Report of the Standing Committee on Bills and Overtures. Popular meeting at evening session in interest of Christian Education and Ministerial Relief.

Tuesday, May 20.

Report of Standing Committees on Foreign Missions, Publication and Sabbath School Work and Home Missions. Popular meeting in the evening in the interest of Home Missions.

Wednesday, May 21.

Report of Standing Committees on C. E. and M. R. and Stewardship. Report of various Ad-Interim Committees.

Thursday, May 22.

Report of Standing Committees of Church Societies, Assembly's Training School, Bible Cause, Synodical Records Audits, Mileage and Leave of Absence. Reports of various Ad-Interim Committees. Resolutions. Adjournment.

Ad-Interim Committees.

The following Ad-Interim Committees will make reports to Assembly: "Amendments to the Book of Church Order," Dr. W. L. Lingle, chairman; On Membership of the Assembly's Stewardship Committee, Dr. W. E. Hill, chairman; on the Proposed Presbyterian Foundation, Dr. E. L. Hill, chairman; on the Problems of the Country Church, Dr. W. H. Mills, chairman; on the Conditions of Our Border Synods, Dr. Russell Cecil, chairman; on the Bureau of Vacancy and Supply, Dr. R. F. Campbell, chairman; on Closer Co-operation of Home and Foreign Missions Committees, J. Nat Harrison, chairman.

Days Appointed by the Assembly.

1. Day of Prayer for Schools and Colleges—Last Sunday in February.
2. Week of Prayer for the Every Member Canvass—Preceding the Canvass in March.
3. Lord's Day Alliance and Protestant Relief in Europe—First Sunday inJuly.
4. Reformation Day—Last Sunday in October.
5. Home Mission Week—Second week in November.
6. Equipment Day—First Sunday in December.

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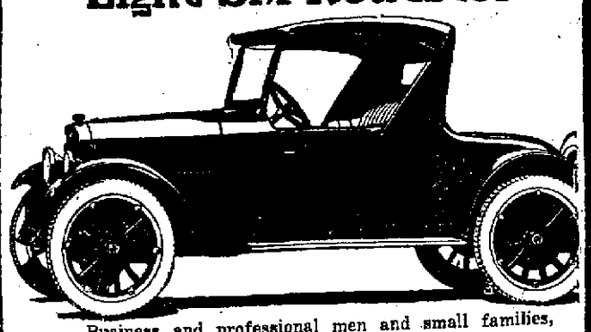

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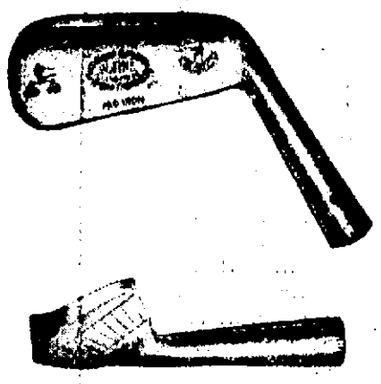

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BASEBALL CALENDAR

TEXAS ASSOCIATION
Yesterday's Results.

Mexia 8, Marlin 2.
Austin 11, Corsicana 9.
Waco 5, Temple 4.

Standing of Clubs.

Clubs—	P	W	L	Pct
Waco	17	11	6	.647
Corsicana	18	10	6	.625
Mexia	18	10	8	.556
Marlin	16	7	9	.500
Temple	16	6	10	.375
Austin	17	6	11	.353

Where They Play Today.

Temple at Waco.
Austin at Corsicana.
Mexia at Marlin.

TEXAS LEAGUE
Yesterday's Results.

Dallas 2, Houston 1.
Galveston 12, Wichita Falls 4.
Beaumont 9, Shreveport 4.
Fort Worth 10, San Antonio 7.

Standing of Clubs.

Clubs—	P	W	L	Pct.
Fort Worth	24	19	5	.792
San Antonio	25	17	8	.680
Dallas	25	14	11	.560
Wichita Falls	24	12	12	.500
Houston	25	11	14	.440
Beaumont	25	11	14	.440
Galveston	25	10	15	.400
Shreveport	23	4	19	.174

Where They Play Today.

Houston at Dallas.
Galveston at Wichita Falls.
San Antonio at Fort Worth.
Beaumont at Shreveport.

AMERICAN LEAGUE
Yesterday's Results.

Cleveland 8, Philadelphia 5.
New York-Chicago, rain.
Detroit-Washington, rain.

Standing of Clubs.

Clubs—	P	W	L	Pct.
New York	20	14	6	.700
Boston	18	10	8	.556
Detroit	20	11	9	.550
St. Louis	21	11	10	.524
Chicago	19	9	10	.474
Washington	22	10	12	.455
Cleveland	20	9	11	.450
Philadelphia	20	7	13	.350

Where They Play Today.

St. Louis at Boston.
Cleveland at Philadelphia.
Detroit at Washington.
Chicago at New York.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.
Yesterday's Results.

Philadelphia 2, Cincinnati 0.
Chicago 5, Brooklyn 4.
St. Louis 3, New York 2.

Standing of Clubs.

Clubs—	P	W	L	Pct.
New York	21	14	7	.667
Cincinnati	20	13	7	.650
Chicago	21	11	10	.524
Brooklyn	21	10	11	.476
Boston	18	8	10	.444
Pittsburgh	23	10	13	.435
Philadelphia	17	6	11	.353
St. Louis	20	7	11	.350

Where They Play Today.

New York at St. Louis.
Philadelphia at Cincinnati.
Brooklyn at Chicago.
Boston at Pittsburgh.

EAST TEXAS LEAGUE
Yesterday's Results.

Longview 3, Marshall 2.
Tyler 15, Sulphur Springs 5.
Mount Pleasant 11, Paris 3.
Texarkana 8, Greenville 1.

Standing of Clubs.

Club—	P	W	L	Pct
Mount Pleasant	19	13	6	.684
Greenville	19	11	8	.579
Tyler	18	10	8	.556
Paris	18	10	8	.556
Sulphur Springs	19	10	9	.526
Longview	18	8	10	.444
Marshall	18	7	11	.389
Texarkana	17	4	13	.235

Where They Play Today.

Sulphur Springs at Tyler.
Mount Pleasant at Paris.
Marshall at Longview.
Greenville at Texarkana.

HORSE RACING IN ENGLAND.

NEW MARKET, England.—Humtaz Mahal, Aga Kahn's crack filly was beaten today in the 1,000 guineas by Lord Rosebery's Black, with Sir Edward Hulton's Straightlace third. Sixteen ran. The 1,000 guineas was for class 3 year olds fillies at uniform weight, 126 pounds over a mile.

Paddock Still Has All Of His Old Speed

By HENRY L. FARRELL
(United Press Sports Editor)

NEW YORK, May 12.—Charley Paddock, the world's champion sprinter, has not lost any of his terrific speed, it was made apparent when the Californian ran one hundred yards in 9 3-5 seconds at the recent Drake relay carnival.

Paddock cinched a place on the American Olympic team when the Amateur Athletic Union showed itself big enough to admit that we was no common culprit and declared him eligible for the Olympic games.

The California star was sure of an appointment to the team on past performances, if nothing else, but it was most pleasing for him to show that he still has the speed to get out and grab himself an American shield by running faster than all the other candidates for the team.

When Lawson Robertson, head coach of the American Olympic team was told at the Pennsylvania relays that Paddock had equalled his record he frowned and remarked: "That boy shouldn't be doing that. He doesn't have to make any new records to get a place on the team, and he's running the risk of hurting himself."

Other prominent eastern coaches at the Penn games expressed the same opinion and said that he ought to take it easy and train so that he would be just reaching his form in June.

Paddock, no doubt, realizes the same thing, but it is no difficult task to find the reason for h's desire to show his real form at this early date in the season.

The young Californian has been hounded and heckled by the "wise guys" of the east, who said that his records on the coast were phony, that he was allowed to make his own starts in California and that they used rubber watches on him.

It was the first chance at the Drake carnival he had been given in two years to show that he was a legitimate champion, that he did not have to do his running on his home track and that he wasn't particular who held the watches on him.

Nearly every reason possible has been used to belittle Paddock and his sprinting. The latest ones were that he had beaten the gun when he ran the hundred and when he made a new record for 125 yards they took the times caught by five watches and split the difference. It will be illogical for any more slightme references to be made about California time-keepers when five men holding the watches at the Drake meet did not agree in even two instances.

It will be interesting to wait and see by what process of reasoning the officials say the next time he breaks or equals one of his records that it doesn't count.

Some critics were astounded when they heard that Paddock had retained all his power and speed after nearly two years' absence from real competition. There is nothing strange about it. Paddock is still good because he is a good, clean liver and he has kept himself constantly in condition.

It is probable, now that he has vindicated himself, that Paddock will pull up and do his training by degrees for the Olympic trials. It is to be hoped that when he comes to the final trials at the Harvard stadium that he will feel like doing some of his real running and make some of his leading eastern razzers eat their criticism.

RANGERS WIN BATTING BEE

CORSICANA, Texas, May 11.—Corsicana dropped a slug-fest to Austin Sunday, 11 to 9 in a game replete with errors. Barrett and Brooks died in the ninth with two men on bases. Hollis was chased in the first inning.

Corsicana—	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Etheridge l f	5	2	2	2	0	0
Malmquist 2 b	5	1	1	7	3	1
Thornton 1 b	5	1	0	7	0	0
Barrett r f	5	2	3	3	0	0
Courtney c f	5	0	1	3	0	0
Cain s s	4	2	2	0	5	0
Meyers 3 b	4	0	1	0	2	2
Hoffman c	5	0	1	4	1	1
Hollis p	0	0	0	0	0	0
Gernandt p	2	0	0	0	1	0
Brown	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lind p	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hamilton	2	1	0	0	0	0
Totals	40	9	11	26	12	4

Austin—	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Bedford l f	5	2	1	2	0	0
Pipkin 2 b	6	1	2	2	1	0
Courtney r f	5	2	2	0	0	1
Clements 3 b	4	1	1	1	0	1
Anheier 1 b	5	0	1	9	2	0
Grigg c f	4	1	2	1	0	0
Henderson c	4	1	1	7	0	1
Matthews s s	4	1	1	4	3	1
Brooks p	5	2	1	1	0	1
Total	42	11	12	27	6	5

Matthews out in first, infield fly.
Brown batted for Gernandt in seventh.
Hamilton batted for Lind in ninth.
Austin ..... 300 006 200—11
Corsicana ..... 400 000 005— 9

Home runs—Brooks, Barrett. Two base hits—Clements, Etheridge, Henderson. Stolen bases—L. Courtney, Bernandt, Matthews. Strike outs—By Gernandt 3, Lind 1, Brooks 5. Bases on balls—Gernanda 5, Brooks 2. Pitchers' record—Off Brooks 11 hits, 9 runs in 9 innings; Hollis 5 hits, 3 runs in 1-3 inning; Gernandt 7 hits, 8 runs in 6 2-3 innings; Lind no hits, no runs in 2 innings. Losing pitcher—Gernandt.

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LEAGUE COMMENT

By HECK

The Waco Indians are winning again and Jinx Tucker is back with the big headlines on his sport page—Stay in there Jinx.

It was a tough break for Irish Kelly to miss getting his daily hit Friday but Geppert had oodles of time to get the flying Indian and mussed the play up and it goes for an error—and the score keeper gets the blame.

The Indians have a good ball club, a durn good one, but not as good as reports from Waco caused us to think. Jack Shires at first base is the whole infield for without him Lewis, Mcbride and Strickland would make oodles of boots each game, especially wild throws. Shires has no peer in this or any other league I have seen in play as a first baseman and his work is easily the feature of the Waco club.

Naturally, Kelly is the whole "kick" of the Waco attack and the balance do the best they can and that lets them out.

Joe Muson, esterwhile Dallas Steer, N. Y. Yankee, Galveston Sand Crab, etc., etc., etc., now wears a Marlin uniform and my hunch isthat he will give the Bathers the punch they have been lacking this season.

Munson is not only a sweet fly hawk but is fast as a bullet and boy, how he can hit. Keep your eye on Joe and see where he finishes in the batting honors of the loop.

I heard a remark in a local tonsorial parlor a few days ago that the reason that particular party did not subscribe to the Mexia baseball fund was because the seven or eight directors of the local club each held a season pass and did not pay to see the games and that they did not feel like donating to the club when "them fellers got in for nothing." To that party I want to whisper that he is wrong—dead wrong—for the directors of the Mexia club all lay the "cash on the barrel head" when they go to the park and none of them are the class of men who would even think of trying to "mooch" their way to a ball game.

The directors of the Mexia club are everyone a dyed-in-the-wool fan and what is more they are 100% sports and regular fellows and you don't have to take my word for that—ask anybody and they pay their way everywhere they go—in fact pay MORE than their way and if it had not have been for them we would not have had baseball this season—get me?

Butler looks like the best first sacker the Gushers have had this season and if playing the infield don't interfere with his hitting he should be going great guns by the middle of the season. Butler has it all over Peake and is faster with his feet than the skipper, but then the skipper is a catcher and makes no claim of playing the infield although I have a hunch he could do it.

This bird Mitchell who shut us out Friday has a curve that circles the players bench before it crossed the plate and cuts up various other didos in its flight to the plate, but at that he is going to lose many a game this season on wildness. Mitchell is a swell pitcher and no argument to that but there are others that will beat him for the league leadership.

Mike Schmid will run him close and so will Sanders of Gushers, Thomas boy Nugent of Temple should win a of Marlin—maybe Gressett—and this flock of games if Rankin will get another second baseman and one more good hitter to help things along.

Umpire Price took the count of nine when a foul tip sneaked under his mask and socked him on the wishbone Friday. Tom was game, however, and came back in great style and handled the game in his usual splendid fashion.

Jeffries deserved a win on the game he pitched Friday. He had plenty of stuff, fine control and was complete master of the Indians excepting the third frame when Jones' foot throwed him off balance for a few minutes and the Redskins chalked up a win in jig time.

Jeffries looked like a real pitcher by the way he came back after the bad inning and held the Indians helpless and he looks like a real find and will win a lot of games with regular work.

Coolidge Schools Close the Session

The baccalaureate sermon for the graduates of the Coolidge High School was delivered at the Methodist church of that place Sunday by Dr. Sewell of Abilene. The graduating exercises will be held Thursday night, May 15, which also will be held in the Methodist church. Dean Edward P. Childs of Trinity University will deliver the address. Next Monday night, May 19, the seventh grade exercises are to be held.

WASHINGTON.—The Senate today passed the tax bill and sent it to conference with the House. As passed the measure has virtually no resemblance to the bill reported by the Senate Finance Committee three weeks ago. All of the important schedule of the Mellon plan was wiped out by the democratic progressive coalition and democratic rates substituted.

PITTSBURGH, Pa.—Twenty five persons were overcome by carbon monoxide gas in the Liberty Tunnel, leading from the south hills into downtown Pittsburgh today when two automobiles crashed 250 yards from the north entrance and jammed traffic for a mile and a quarter to the south entrance. The incident is a direct result of the truck strike as the Liberty Tunnel is a foot and vehicle traffic tube and thousands were walking through the passage.

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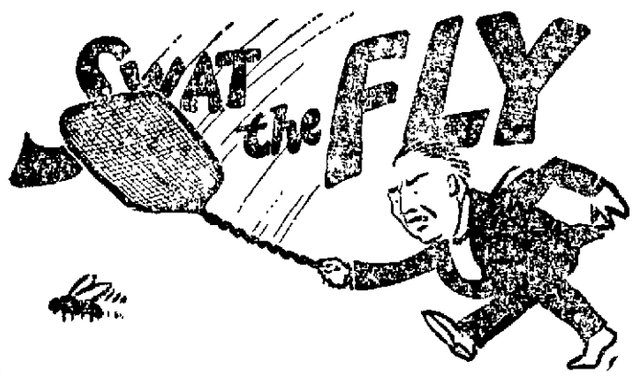

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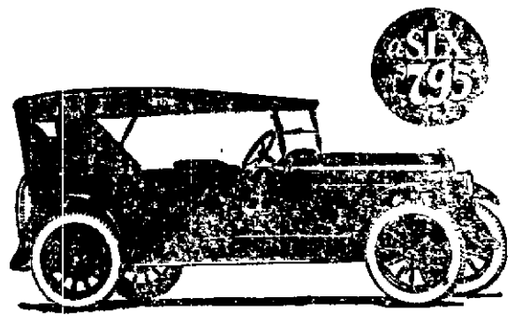

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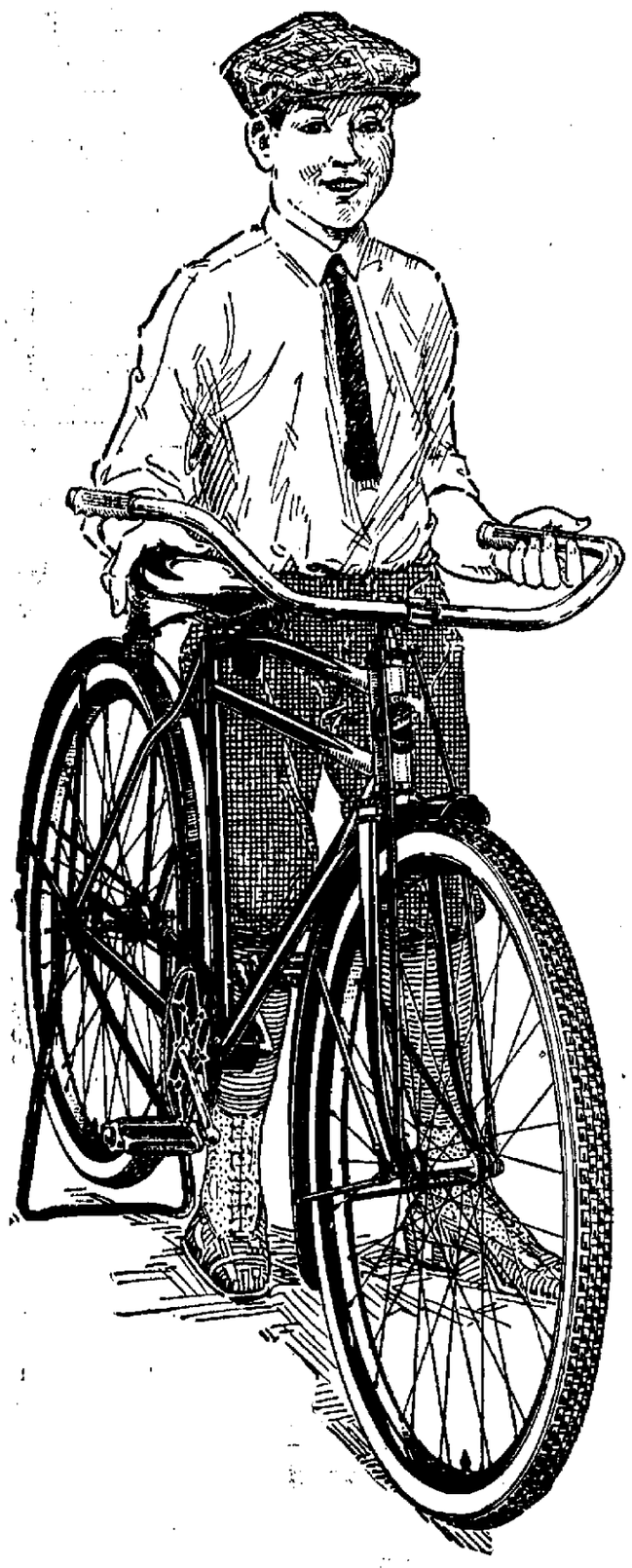

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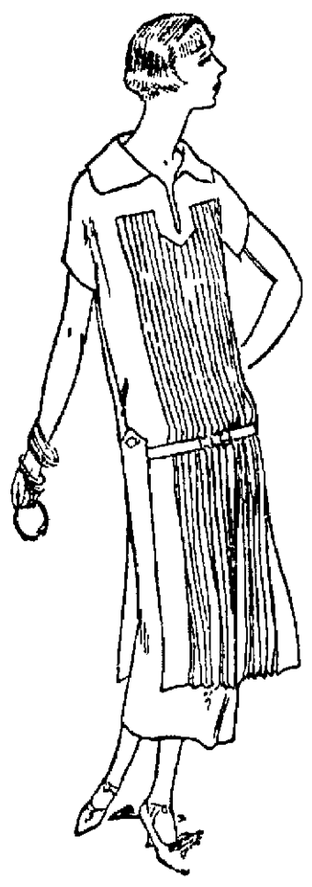
Mexia Man Makes Speech at Farrar At School's End

W. B. Byers of the firm of Byers and Aultman delivered the commencement address for the Farrar school which closed Thursday night. Mr. Byers' subject was "Aristocracy and Aristocracies" and was pronounced by those who heard it as one of the finest addresses ever delivered in the county.

THIS FROCK OPENS ATHLETIC SEASON



Since it is difficult to tell just when you will be called upon to play in a game of quoits, it is well to keep in practice with your bracelets, seems to be the opinion of the lady in the picture who is just about to ring the stake with her amber circlet. Sets of from four to eight bracelets have become part of the equipment of the smart Parisian women, according to Henri Creange, the fashion authority. Sometimes they are all of the same material, sometimes a rainbow of iridescent glass. If a number are to be worn they must be quite small unless you wish to cripple yourself. For the single bracelet a wide, old-fashioned gold band is often seen.

The dress illustrated, of rose colored Frostkrepe, a substantial crepe weave with a characteristic sparkle, itself offers scope for athletic achievements. It hangs loosely from the shoulders, the belt being a decorative rather than a confining influence. The short sleeves are loose and the neck line, with its wide rolling collar and V offers a great deal of freedom to the neck. The pleats, which summer always brings upon us are present in full force. In this frock they are however combined with plain material in a most interesting manner. The pleated panel down the front and back is framed in plain material which follows the V in front and makes a straight yoke across the back. The tunic flies loose over a tight underskirt which, it should be noticed is slit at the beltline to allow the belt to go under it and buttons up on the waist in a tab about three inches wide.

Judge O. C. Kirven To Be Buried At Corsicana Tuesday

Judge Oliver Carter Kirven, who died at the home of his son, William Kirven, in Santa Anna, California, will be buried in Corsicana, Tuesday, May 14 at 2 o'clock. His remains are expected to arrive there this afternoon Quite a number from here are expecting to attend the funeral of the beloved pioneer of this section. He settled, while an infant, near Kirven in Freestone county, which place bears his family name. He was an outstanding figure in social, legal and political circles. He served this district as district attorney when the district was composed of Freestone, Limestone and Navarro Counties. He was chairman of the Board of Pardons during the administration of Governor O. B. Colquitt.

STOLLENWERCK IS HONORED BY THE ROTARY CLUB

Last Thursday at noon the Rotary club observed Ben Stollenwerck Day in honor of the retired Secretary. Albert H. Berry, former President of the club, stated the case fully when he said that Mr. Stollenwerck had been the best secretary the club had ever had. He has been Secretary since its organization here.

Hardy Eubanks presided at the luncheon which was held in the dining room of the Hurdleston Hotel, now the Texas Cafe. The space is much larger there than in formerly used meeting places and the crowd was accomodated without inconvenience.

Ike Keys was introduced to speak on "Ben Stollenwerck as Secretary of the Chamber of Commerce."

Mack McIntosh spoke on "Ben Stollenwerck as a Citizen."

Rev. Victor K. Aubrey, his pastor, discussed "Ben Stollenwerck as a Churchman."

Mr. Berry talked about him "As a Rotarian" and Pat Patterson led a round table discussion on "good, bad and indifferent."

Few citizens have ever been paid higher compliments than Mr. Stollenwerck received by the Rotarians. It was pointed out that he had rendered many services to Mexia as a Secretary of its Chamber of Commerce, that he had been responsible for the building of the four miles of paved highway south of town, had secured a million dollars worth of more assets in tank farms for Limestone County and had done many other things which had never been credited to him. His pastor said that the little church around the corner would miss him more than any other institution with which he was connected, it being pointed out that he was a member of the official board of the Central Presbyterian church and seldom missed a service of any kind at any time.

Mr. Berry presented him for the club a handsome fountain pen, as a memento of the regard of the membership for him, which it was explained could not be expressed in dollars and cents with any gift however expensive.

Mr. Stollenwerck was then introduced by Hardy Eubanks to defend himself. He responded with much feeling, stating that he knew he was unworthy of all the fine things that had been said, stated again his love for Mexia and urged the citizenship here to go forward and not backward and to carry on fully the program that would mean a bigger and better Mexia.

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To the Sheriff or any Constable of Limestone County—Greeting:

You are hereby commanded, that you summon, by making publication of this citation in some newspaper published in the County of Limestone if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in any newspaper published in the Judicial District; but if there be no newspaper published in said Judicial District, then in a newspaper published in the nearest district to said Judicial District for four weeks previous to the return day hereof, B. D. Flickinger whose residence is unknown, to be and appear before me, a Justice of the Peace in and for Limestone County, at a regular term of the Justice's Court for Precinct No. 4 of said County, to be begun and holden at my office in Mexia on the 10th day of June, 1924, at ten o'clock A. M., to answer the complaint of Rogers Mercantile Company in a certain suit therein pending, in which Rogers Mercantile Company is Plaintiff, and B. D. Flickinger is Defendant.

Filed on the 26th day of April, A. D. 1924, and numbered on the Docket of said Court No. 739, the nature of the Plaintiff's demand being in substance as follows: On July 14th, 1923, at the instance and request of Defendant the Plaintiff took defendant's note in the sum of $44.50, due thirty days after date, said note providing for ten per cent attorney's fees if placed in the hands of an attorney for collection. Plaintiff says further that he placed the note in the hands of Keys & Mason, attorneys, for collection, agreeing to pay them the ten per cent attorney's fees provided for in the note, the same being reasonable attorney's fees; that the note is now past due and unpaid, and that Defendant, though often requested, has hitherto failed and refused, and still refuses, to pay the same or any part thereof, to Plaintiff's damage in the principal sum of $44.50.

Wherefore, Plaintiff prays that the Defendant be cited to appear and answer this suit; that he have judgment in the principal sum of $44.50, interest, attorney's fees and costs of suit, and for such other and further relief, general and special, in law and in equity, to which he may be justly entitled.

Herein fail not, but have then and there before said Court, at said regular term, this Writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand, this 26th day of April, A. D., 1924.

O. KENNEDY,
Justice of the Peace,
Precinct No. 4 Limestone
County, Texas.
(May 1-8-15-22)

For Mexia, I WILL.

CANDIDATES

Announcements

1924 ELECTIONS

LIMESTONE COUNTY

The following candidates for the offices named submit their names subject to the action of the Democratic primary election to be held in Limestone county on the 26th day of July, 1924:

For Governor—
FELIX G. ROBERTSON.
or Senator 13th District—
HARRY P. JORDAN
For District Judge, 77th Judicial Dis.
C. H. MACHEN
A. M. BLACKMON (Re-election.)
For Judge 87th Judicial District—
J. ROSS BELL
(Re-Election 2nd Term)
J. E. WOODS.
L. E. EUBANKS
For District Clerk—
M. A. AINSWORTH
For Representative, Sixth Congressional District—
LUTHER A. JOHNSON
(Re-Election Sought)
For Representative Limestone County
W. P. ALEXANDER.
For County Judge—
H. F. KIRBY (Re-election sought)
JOHNSON WAKEFIELD
B. W. MILES.
For County Clerk—
J. L. DAY, (re-election.)
For County Tax Assessor—
TOM M. CAIN
R. W. (BOB) STEEN
A. A. HYDEN.
J. L. HIGGINBOTHAM
For Tax Collector—
W. A. ROBBINS. (re-election.)
For County Treasurer—
H. C. FITZGERALD.
For Sheriff—
WHIT POPEJOY (re-election.)
For Commissioner Precinct No. 4—
JOHN M. KENNEDY, (re-election)
LUTHER COX.
For County Treasurer—
MRS. LULA OATES, (re-election.)
County Attorney—
SCOTT REED (re-election, second term.)
For County School Superintendent—
J. J. BATES.
MRS. CORA FERGUSON
(Re-election.)
For Justice of the Peace, Pre. 4—
S. H. FLAKE
CHARLES L. CLOVER.
O. KENNEDY, (re-election, second term.)
For Public Weigher, Precinct No. 4
VIRGIL D. WOOD
For Constable, Precinct No. 4—
JOE P. FELZ
For Public Weigher—
ROY H. STOKES, Re-election
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15 Dallas Ft. Worth ..... 3:44 p. m.
31 Dallas Ft. Worth ..... 12:50 p. m.
67 Dallas Ft. Worth ..... 5:14 p. m.
17 Dallas Ft. Worth ..... 4:35 a. m.
19 Dallas Ft. Worth ..... 3:55 a. m.

South bound—
845 To cut-off ..... 7:00 a. m.
16 Houston San Antonio ..... 11:45 a. m.
32 From Dallas ..... 10:08 a. m.
38 Austin San Antonio ..... 12:21 a. m.
18 Houston San Antonio ..... 1:37 a. m.
20 Houston San Antonio ..... 12:16 a. m.

T. & P. R. R.
North.
No. 8—3:25 p. m.
South.
No. 7—12:55 p. m.

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PROPAGANDA IS IN FAVOR OF SMITH FOR PRESIDENT

VICTORIA, May 12.—Governor Alfred E. Smith of New York or Governor Jonathan M. Davis, of Kansas, will be the Democratic standard bearer in the coming presidential campaign according to a nationwide pool of prominent men conducted by the Victoria Advocate.

If Governor Smith is nominated he will defeat President Coolidge or any other Republican, according to the Advocate's conclusions, based on a careful analysis of the opinions of prominent politicians in both parties.

Prohibition and the Ku Klux Klan will be the "disturbing factors" in the Democratic convention, the Advocate believes.

"The Klan question, intensified by W. G. McAdoo's candidacy, will drive the liquor issue into the background, and, as a stern protest against religious intolerance, Smith will be nominated and the country given its first Catholic president," the Victoria only declared.

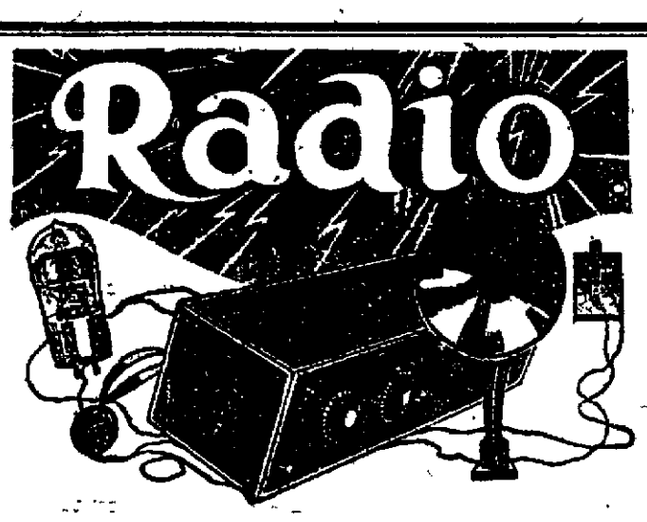
Smith, it was said, appears to be the only candidate "who appeals to the popular imagination and the only presidential possibility whose candidacy is creating real enthusiasm among any great number of people, not excepting President Coolidge, who is assured of the Republican nomination but has not excited any degree of enthusiasm anywhere, this paper's canvass shows."

Senator Samuel M. Ralston of Indiana, was favored for the vice-presidency in the Advocate's poll, with Governor Davis second and Senator Oscar Underwood of Alabama third.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN WOMEN MEET MONDAY AFTERNOON

The Women's Auxiliary of the First Presbyterian church has the following officers: Mrs. G. M. Patton, President, Mrs. W. W. Barnett, Vice President, Mrs. G. E. Mitchell, Secretary and Mrs. Z. Rochelle, Treasurer. The Auxiliary meets at the church on Monday afternoon at 3:30. A cordial invitation is always extended to this service.

A woman seldom loves her friends with the same intensity as she hates her enemies.



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Tune In Time—Central Standard Time
By DAISEY MAYS
(See Station Calls Above)
May 12, 1924

6:00 to 7:00 p. m.

WIP, 6, Uncle Wip's bedtime stories
WFI, 6, Music lessons for children.
WOAW, 6, Comedy players.
WDAF, 6 to 7, School of the Air.
WWJ, 6, Detroit News orchestra.
KGO, 6 to 7:30, Dance orchestra.
WOAW, 6.30, Randall's Royal orchestra.
WOO, 6 30, Havana Casino orchestra.
WOC, 6 30, Sandman's visit.
WGY, 6:45 Polish program, Polish songs and music.

7:00 to 8:00 p. m.

WBAV, 7, Concert, WBAV orchestra
WHB, 7 to 8, Educational features and vocal and instrumental numbers
WOO, 7, Weekly Health talk.
WOC, 7, Lecture
WBAP, 7:30 to 8.30, Concert.
WCX, 7:30, Sigma Alpha Iota Musical Sorority.
WAAW, 7:30, Melody Jazz orchestra.

8:00 to 9:00 p. m.

WSB, 8 to 9, Cuban pianist.
WOC, 8, Music.
WOS, 8, Musical program.
WDAF, 8 to 9:30, Formal program of popular, classical and comedy numbers.
WLW, 8, Addresses.
WOO, 8:10, Fox Theatre Grand Orchestra.
WFAA, 8 30 to 9:30, Song recital.
WMC, 8:30 Hotel Gayoso orchestra.
WLW, 8:30, Musical program.

9:00 to 10:00 p. m.

WOAW, 9, Musical program.
WLW, 9, Theatrical review; concert.
WOO, 9:03, Organ recital.
WBAP, 9:30 to 10:45, Valley View Barn Dance Orchestra.
WOO, 9:30, Havana Casino Dance Orchestra.
KGO, 10, Educational program.
KGW, 10, String Quartet.
WOC, 10, Program.
WSB, 10:45, Dixie stars.

11:00 to 12:00 Midnight.

KGW, 11 30, Old songs.
WDAF, 11:45, Nighthawk frolic.

I. E. L. CLASS ENTERTAINED IN HOME OF MRS BENNETT

The T. E. L. Class of the First Baptist church enjoyed a delightful social gathering Friday at the home of Mrs Harvey Bennett on Main street. She was assisted in the entertainment of the members of the class and their several guests by her mother in law, Mrs. T. Bennett. The lovely home was made prettier still for the occasion by flowers placed in artistic profusion over the house. After a business session, a musical program was enjoyed, in which Mrs Rush Allison sang a solo accompanied by Mrs. Paul Harper at the piano. For refreshments, brick ice cream and angel food cake was served.

LOST AVIATORS TRUDGE BACK TO ALASKAN SETTLEMENT

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men would be found.

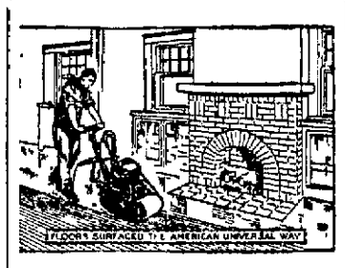
Martin and Harvey underwent great hardships, they reported in a brief radio and owe their lives to "concentrated food and nerve."

The Seattle, in which they took off from Chignik in a vain attempt to catch up with the other three ships of the flight, was completely wrecked.

Word that the missing men had been found was received with tremendous relief in army air circles here as hope for them had been practically given up. Martin and Harvey reached a trapper's cabin the morning of May 7, worn, exhausted and suffering greatly from the cold. They were ill equipped for a journey on foot through the artic storms which came raging down out of Benring Sea which were the cause of their disaster.

The aviators stayed at the trapper's cabin, at the head of Port Moller Bay three days, rested and then started walking the beach while they waited for expected aid to arrive.

The airmen reached Port Moller at 6 p. m. Saturday, with a thrilling story of hardships in the artic wold. Word that they were safe was sent out immediately.



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CASES TO APPEAR IN 87th DISTRICT COURT

Cases docketed for appearance in the second week of the 87th District Court, beginning Monday, May 12, are as follows:

Monday

2550. Mrs. Fannie Scarborough vs. C. S. Bradley.
4014. V. A. Crawford et ux vs. A. J. Mason et al.
4206. R. L. Satterwhite vs. Holliday Construction Co.

Thursday

2956. Hyden vs. H. & T. C. R. R. Co. (2 cases).
2204 J. C. Eaves vs. Bud Kenzee.
4225. Mrs. W. B. Ballard vs. Western Union Telegraph Co.

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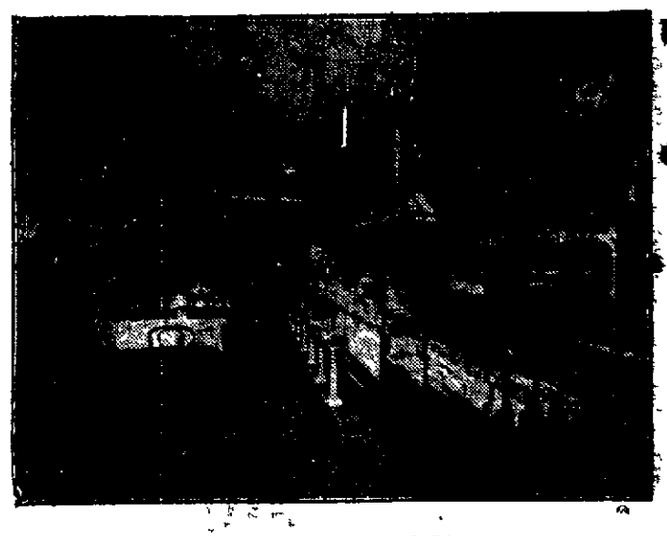

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INDIANS SUSPECTED OE MURDER BEING TRAILED

Ten Die In Monarchist Uprising In Germany

Mexia Shrine Circus Opens Here Tonight At 7 Oclock

Cherokees Are Thought ToBe Little Girl Slayer

PRYOR, Okla., May 12.—A citizens posse searched Mayes county today for two Cherokee Indians who are suspected as the slayers of nine year old Ida Thompson whose body was found hidden under a log near here Sunday. The girl disappeared Saturday night while out hunting for a strayed cow.

PARTY IN POWER IN FRANCE IS FAILURE SAY THE FRENCH

By WEBB MILLER
(United Press Staff Correspondent)

PARIS, May 12.—Premier Poincare and the National bloc which has governed France for five years met surprising defeat in Sunday's national elections.

An avalanche of votes swept into office a majority of the Left the radical Socialists appearing the strongest party in the forthcoming Parliament.

The group which will control the Chamber of Deputies favors moderation towards Germany.

Many of Poincare's foreign policies are certain to be replaced by others of a conciliatory nature.

The Premier may resign at once and it is possible that President Millerand, who created the national bloc which has met its defeat may resign as well.

Returns shortly after noon showed the parties of the left, including the Communists, secured 229 seats against 153 for the national bloc with 202 results yet to be announced.

Over 80 per cent of the voters, an unusually high number for France, went to the polls yesterday. Weather conditions were perfect. Victory for the left was achieved by overwhelming majorities in the provinces. Paris gave M. Poincare a maority and those who retired early last night believed to be winning.

L'Oeuvre, a workers newspaper, claims that the left is assured control of the Chamber of Deputies and says that the vicory wrecked its highest hopes.

In many departments, Communists and Socialists combined forces sweeping many Communists into office.

Leaders of the left claim the result is an overwhelming repudiation of Poincare's foreign policies, incluing the Ruhr.

The Premier's supporters, however, claim the overthrow was due to dissatisfaction with the cost of living, recent raising of the tax rate and other domesic matters.

The new chamber, despite what Poincare's followers say, will undoubtedly effect modification of France's foreign policies and lean towards conciliation in relations with Great Britain, Germany and possibly with Russia.

Jacques Doriot, a Communist, who is at present in jail, was elected by a heavy vote, Ex-Minister Malvy, who until recently was banished from France, also won a seat. The Royalist leader Daudet was defeated badly.

There will be almost an entirely new Chamber when Parliament convenes in June.

"Happiest Man" Victim of Hammer Assassin.

DR. G. K. NIELSON

Dr. George K. Nielson, chiropractor, of Newark, N. J., was found in his home there with his head crushed in with a hammer. John Vollmer, a boarder in his home, was arrested. Only the day before the assault Nielson had declared he was "the happiest man in the world" when his baby was photographed for the newspapers as "the perfect baby of a perfect union." No reason for the assault was known.

MEXIA MEN ARE IN SAN ANTONIO FOR K. P. MEETING OF WEEK

Major N. P. Houx and J. Frank Cogdell are in San Antonio this week for the meeting of Knights of Pythians. They left Saturday night. Cards from them today indicate their arrival there. They were met at the station by Judge D. Leon Harp, formerly Mayor of Mexia.

Norman Cox and wife have returned to Rule, Texas, after a visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Cox in this city.

GENERAL ASSEMBLY AT SAN ANTONIO TO BE ATTENDED BY PRESBYTERIANS OF FIRST CHURCH OF THIS CITY

The General Assembly of Presbyterian church in the U. S. will meet in 64th annual session at the First Presbyterian church in San Antonio at 11 a. m. Thursday of this week. Rev. E. H. Hudson, local pastor, and other members of the congregation here are expecting to attend.

The call to prayer each Sunday preceding the assembly was observed here Sunday and throughout the denomination.

The assembly program follows:

Thursday, May 15.

Assembly meets 11:00 a. m. Sermon by Dr. Alexander Sprunt, retiring moderator. Celebration of the Lord's Supper following the sermon.

At 2:30 p. m. the enrollment of commissioners will be announced and a moderator and clerks will be elected. Reports of the Executive Committees of Foreign Missions and Home Missions will be submitted.

Friday, May 16.

Announcement of Standing Committees. Reading and referring to Overtures. Reports from Executive Committees, Woman's Auxiliary and Stewardship committee. Popular meeting in the evening in interest of Publication and Sabbath School work.

Saturday, May 17.

Report of Committee on Foreign

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INTERSCTIONAL GAMES PROVE HARD FOR CHAMPS

By HENRY L. FARRELL
(United Press Staff Correspondent)

NEW YORK, May 12.—Intersectional games in the major leagues which will feature the pennant race for almost a month, are bearing out the contention that the two champion clubs have their most serious opposition in the West. The New York

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Cotton Buyer Is Shot Down While Resisting Arrest

WHITEWRIGHT, Texas, May 12.—Deputy Sheriff Ed Lankford was released on personal cognizance today after he had offered to surrender for the shooting to death of Monroe Bryant, local cotton buyer. According to officers Bryant was shot down Sunday night while resisting arrest.

FRENCH FLIER IS NOW IN CHINA

PARIS, May 12.—Lieutenant Pelletier d'Oisy, French airman who flew from Paris, has arrived at Saigon, the capital of French Cochin China, it was officially announced today.

PARADE FEATURE PRECEDES THE OPENING OF BIG SHOW

Immediately following the parade tonight at seven o'clock the Shrine Circus will open dors, and the citizens of Mexia will see one of the biggest and best shows that has ever played in this city.

An added attraction of the Circus will be the Harison Troupe", world famed cyclists, who have tra-

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SUNDAY IS UNDER DOCTOR'S CARE IN MEMPHIS TENNESSEE

MEMPHIS, Tenn., May 12.—Billy Sunday, evangelist was under care of physicians at his hotel here today, following an attack of food poisoning. Doctors hoped to have him in physical condition to resume his preaching here tomorrow. Sunday was unable to deliver two scheduled sermons yesterday. He has been in a highly nervous state since Mrs. Sunday was injured in an auto accident two weeks ago.

THE WORLD IN TABLOID

Lost Fliers Called to Washington

WASHINGTON, May 12.—Major General Patrick, Chief of the Air Service, today ordered Major Frederick L. Martin, Commander of American round the world flyers, and his sergeant mechinic, Alva Harvey, to return to Washington. Both men will rejoin the round the world flyers somewhere in Europe or Asia, depending on where they will be able to reach them traveling eastward from the United States.

Flood Rages in Historic Virginia

HARRISBURG, Virginia, May 12.—The greatest flood since 1870, the year of the big flood, is plunging down the Shenandoah valley river to the gateway at Harpers Ferry today. A thirty hour rainstorm in the upper valley regions around the headwaters of the Shenandoah river sent a deluge of water into the two branches of the river. Between Harrisburg and Staunton the farms have been converted into a lake. The Hydropower plant here is engulfed. All bridges are reparted out and railroad hight of ways inundated.

Cumberland Menaced by Water

CUMBERLAND, Maryland, May 12.—Cumberland is manaced by another serious flood today. The heart of the city is under 18 inches of water and the flood from Mills creek is increasing. A man's body was found in the Potomac in Sir John's Run near here.

Methodists to Urge Peace on Earth

SPRINGFIELD, Mass., Mary 12.—The Methodist Episcopal church will petition both major political parties to incorporate in their platforms a plank oultawing war according to a resolution of the Quadrennial General Conference here adopted today.

Subject of Deficit Is Raised by Smoot

WASHINGTON, May 12.—The government will be faced with a deficit of nearly a half a million dollars if the tax bill as passed the Senate and appropriation measures now under considertion become laws, President Coolidge and Secretary Mellon were warned today by Senator Smoot, Chairman of the Senate Finance Committee.

Poincare Decides to Resign Office

PARIS, May 12.—Premier Poincare has decided that he must resign as a result of the defeat of the National Bloc in the Parliamentary elections, it was learned last night. The Premier returned hurriedly to Paris this afternoon from a week end in the country and consulted with his ministers at which time his decision to resign was reached.

CONGRESS PLANS TO FIND WAY THROUGH IN A MONTH

By PAUL R. MALLON
(United Press Staff Correspondent)

WASHINGTON, May 12.—With adjournment of Congress arranged for four weeks from today, Capitol leaders are groping for a way out of their legislative dilemma in the hope of avoiding an extra session of Congress.

Talk of coming back after the con-

(Continued on Page 3.)

Plans Call For Bringing Back Lost Aviators

CORDOVA, Alaska, May 12.—Preparations to bring Major Frederick L. Martin and Sergeant Alva Harvey, American round-the-world flyers, to Dutch Harbor, Unalaska, were under way today.

The Coast Guard cutter Algonquin was ordered from Dutch Harbor to Port Moller on the Behring Sea shore of the Alaskan peninsula, to bring the aviators—who miraculously escaped death—to Dutch Harbor.

Reports from Port Moller tell of stirring scenes when Martin and Harvey, tired from a week of tramping over the frozen Arctic wastes unshaven and unkept, walked into the little village.

Tury Royalty Is To Run It Out This Afternoon

BALTIMORE, Md., May 12.—Twenty-one 3-year-old horses, members of turf royalty, will compete in the Preakness, classic of the Maryland turf, which will be run at Pimlico at 4 p. m. today.

Every hotel and rooming house is crowded with men and women who will watch the filly or colt win for its owner more than $50,000 and the coveted Woodlawn vase, after clicking off one and one-eighth mile on the historic Pimlico course.

Today's will be the sixteenth renewal of the Preakness.

Franc Drops Far When Elections Are Determined

PARIS, May 12.—The French franc dropped sharply today to 17.40 to the dollar when it became apparent the Government had been defeated in the national elections. Saturday's closing was at 16.75.

The victory of the radical Socialists and other parties of the Left over Poincare is considered as making certain a settlement of the reparations problem on hte basis of the experts' report.

Day Buys Variety Store In Mexia

T. E. Day has bought the People's Variety Store and has taken charge of the concern located on South Sherman street. The firm name will be known hereafter as Day's Variety Store.

Mr. Day purchased the institution from C. A. Samford and F. P. Huchingson.

Mr. Day was formerly connected with the insurance firm of Nolan and Day. He sold his interest in that concern three months ago today.

RIGHT MAJOR F.L.MARTIN
LEFT SERGT. ALVA HARVEY

LOST AVIATORS TRUDGE BACK TO ALASKAN SETTLEMENT

BREMERTON, Wash., May 12.—Major Frederick L. Martin, missing commander of the United States army's round-the-world flight expedition, is safe with his mechanician, Sergeant Alva L. Harvey.

The two American airmen reported by radio that their plane crashed into a mountain top after they took off from Chignik a week ago last Wednesday but that neither of them were injured.

They have asked the War Department for instructions.

WASHINGTON, May 12.—Major Frederick L. Martin and Sergeant Harvey may be given another plane and started in pursuit of their comrades in the round-the-word flight as soon as the necessary arrangements can be made, air service officials said today.

Word of the finding of Martin and Harvey at Port Moller, Alaska, was received by General Patrick, head of the air service in a message from Unalaska, dated Saturday, which read:

"Major Martin and Harvey arrived Port Moller 6 o'clock tonight. Reported in good condition. Am sending out Algonquin, one boiler from Unalaska to their assistance.

General Patrick and other officers of the department will confer today on the instructions to be sent to Martin. They are awaiting also a more detailed report of the accident which caused Martin's plane, the flagship of the fleet of four, to crash into a mountainside not far from Chignik.

Army officers here were interested in reports that "concentrated food" proved the salvation of the two airmen in their batle wih the storm and other difficulties of the Northern waste. Officers said they did not know exactly what this food with as Major Martin was provided with funds to supply his fleet with food and purchased it himself.

As soon as word was received here from Unalaska, President Coolidge was notified and expressed his great relief over the finding of the flyers.

The President and Mrs. Coolidge had manifested deep concern but neither would abandon hope the air-

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THE WEATHER

East Texas—Tonight cloudy with showers in the west. Warmer Tuesday and unsettled with scattered showers.

West Texas—Tonight unsettled with showers except in the southwest. Tuesday partly cloudy.

70,000 Goose Step Before Members of Old Rule

By CARL D. GROAT
(United Press Staff Correspondent)

HALLE, Germany, May 12.—Ten dead, several score injured and more than 500 arrested was the toll of Sunday's mighty Monarchist demonstration in which 70,000 goose stepped in parade past General Ludendorff and the ex-Kaiser's son, Oscar.

It was Communists, attempting to interfere with the demonstrations who paid with their lives for the attempt. Police from behind barriers, poured a volley into the Red mob which marched on the outskirts of the city.

Folkists speakers, advocating a return of the monarchy in such phrases as "we never will rest until we again have a kaiser," harangued cheering throngs at the Halle race tracks.

The occasion was the unveiling of a statue of General von Moltke, to replace one destroyed by Communists.

CHINA EXPECTS RESIGNATION OF ITS OLD CABINET

TOKIO, May 12.—The Government of Premier Kiyoura, appeared to have been defeated soundly in Saturday's national election on the basis of still incomplete returns today.

Many newspapers predict resignation of the Cabinet, but a Government spokesman declared this would not occur, even if the Seiyhonto, or Kiyoura party were beaten.

Ticket Sale Is Getting Started For Big Battle

MICHIGAN CITY, Ind., May 12.—The first block of $50,000 worth of tickets for the Gibbons-Carpentier fight here May 31, has been sold, Jim Coffey, one of the promoters, announced today.

Interest in the bout, which had been lagging, was revived when Tommy Gibbons arrived on the scene and started his hard training grind.

Gibbon's camp is Grand Beach, a few miles from Michigan City. He is stopping at the Golfmore hotel and the entire convention hall annex is being transformed into a private gymnasium.

Harvey's Mother Very Happy Over Return of Fliers

CLEBURNE, Texas, May 12.—"My prayers were answered on Mothers' Day—I am the happiest mother in the world."

Mrs. Luther Harvey, mother of Sergeant Alva L. Harvey, round-the-world flyer, made this statement Sunday night when informed her son had been rescued in Alaska.

"We prayed constantly—Not for a moment did we lose hope," she said.

"For the rest of my life this will be the finest Mothers' Day of all."

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"FOR MEXIA, I WILL."

COOLIDGE CHURCHMEN BUILD WELL.

Methodists of this city who attended the District Conference held last week at Coloidge were very much impressed with the magnificent new church built by the Methodists of that congregation. They cannot say too much in praise of the men and women there who underwent the sacrifices necessary to build such a structure. Rev. W. B. Andrews, pastor here, spoke very complimentary of the plant and hospitality of the members there in his sermon here Sunday morning. The people of a community cannot hide their lights under a bushel when they put their means into temples dedicated to the service of the Christ upon whom America was founded.

A PROGRAM OF FARM DEVELOPMENT

The Mexia Chamber of Commerce could do not better thing at present than to direct its attention to a well defined program, designed to stimulate farm development through poultry raising and the production of creamery products. Quite a few sections of Texas have entered these fields and they are finding that it destributes prosperity more generally and makes for better times than any other agricultural activities. A section near here, attesting that fact, is the counties of Erath and Hamilton, about 100 miles West of Waco. Hundreds of thousands of dollars are brought into those counties annually because of the great crops of poultry, eggs, and creamery products. In fact more money is derived by the farmers from these crops alone than Limestone and Freestone counties get out of their cotton production. With excellent home markets and with main lines leading from Mexia to every one of the larger cities of the State, which places may be reached in a few hours by rail, Limestone and Freestone counties are well located for such an activity. More poultry and cream products are brought to Mexia by train and sold here than by wagon or auto.

There is no reason under the sun why poultry farms should not prove profitable in this section, unless it be the one that no market locally is available to serve as the distributing and sales center for poultry products to be marketed through. And this is indeed important and a service which the Chamber of Commerce could render. It could secure a man or company for Mexia to enter this business, giving him the support of a poultry production program, fostered and encouraged by the Chamber of Commerce.

The first thing to do is to secure the services of a Secretary of the Chamber of Commerce who is in sympathy with such a program and who knows how to win the respect of the farmers of the section.

The next thing to do would be to secure an expert in handling farm products, who would be willing to engage in the business here. This would afford a local market, a distributing center, similar to that afforded at Winnsboro, through W. A. Nabors, now Railroad Commissioner of Texas. The work of Mr. Nabors added millions of dollars of wealth to that part of East Texas in the past few years. At present when a farmer brings anything to town, he has to peddle it out from house to house, or peddle it to some local store. This arrangement is discouraging at the outset. It takes up the time of the farmer who ought to spend that time in production rather than in peddling. Too, a peddlar's route is so uncertain.

The third thing necessary to a program of this kind would be to secure an ice cold storage here adequate to accomodate the farm products brought here for sale. This is important as a storage is required to keep the products fresh until a shipment is ready.

A market here would enable every farmer in the section to bring his eggs or whatever chickens he has to sell and find a ready market. He might not have but a dozen eggs, but it would be that much and by the end of the year a neat sum would be derived, the money distributed generally throughout the country. It would mean that Mexia would be the center of agricultural activities, bringing hundreds of farmers here every week and the entire section would be benefited.

Every farm is an industry in itself. There are thousands of these industries within Mexia's trade territory. It is important therefore, that every help possible be given these industries.

THE EDITORIAL OF THE DAY

WISE MEN AND FOOLS

In France the centenary of Henri Fabre, the distinguished entomologist, has just been observed. Among the amusing revelations which the celebration has made concerning a man whose greatness is just beginning to be generally known was what the rustics of the place where he spent the last 25 years of his life were in the habit of calling him, "le fou." This unflattering estimate of the powers of Fabre admits him to a very brilliant fraternity of men whose visions were too bright for the common eye and who were therefore dubbed idiots by the mediocre in intelligence. It is a very old story; the one of the far-seeing scientists being called fool by the smug persons who have failed to understand this inspiration. And instance which comes readily to mind is that of Columbus, who was treated as tho mad by his ignorant sailors. There is a story, too, of Darwin's gardener who thought that his master was pitiably feeble-minded and explained to the scientist's callers that "if only he had something to do . . he would be better." And, to mention only one more recent instance, neighbors were of the opinion at one time that Henry Ford, who has since proved himself quite competent in his own field, was an utter fool.

To the thoughtful these instances will suggest the inadvisability of offering casual estimates of the mental powers of those whose work we find ourselves incapable of understanding. We still live in a time of discovery and at a stroke by one of the intellectual supermen all that we have been cherishing as sound may be overthrown. It is indiscreet to call anyone who is thinking and acting independently a fool, because a future generation may make a different report.—St. Paul Pioneer Press.

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WITHOUT COMMENT

Fit for His Mother to Hear

(From the Milwaukee Journal)

William Hodge, the famous actor, in a talk before a ....ew York audience about a cleaner stage said recently:

"Every morning I feel as though I link my arm with God and walk with Him through the day. For 32 years I have refused to 'touch' anything not wholesome, fit for my mother to hear. With other men and women I am making a fight to purge the stage. Gentlemen, next time you say the rotten theater—don't say it! Say a rotten theater."

Here is a man who has entertained thousands. He used as his medium such plays as The Sky Farm, The Dream City, The Man From Home, and The Road to Happiness. And he succeeded. Maybe there is that streak of human nature which likes to get a thrill from something a bit naughty. But William Hodge did not cater to it. He gave them something else, he used his talents to put it across the footlights and they went away satisfied. And Hodge knew that he had not debased himself.

Hodge has the answer to the producer who brings out the old excuse for the salacious show, "Well, you've got to give 'em what they want." That excuse has done more harm to the American stage than any other one thing. Reduced to its exact meaning, it says, "Go the limit." And that in turn means debasement.

But the recent history of Broadway bears out the Hodge judgment rather than the judgment of the salacious producer. The shows that have had the longest runs have been clean—Lightnin', for instance. That would indicate that the theater-going public does not ask the actor and the producer to debase themsleves in order that the public may be entertained. It is a brightening hope when a man can say conscientiously that he can walk the "boards" and still "link his arm with God."

Alvin Owsley for Vice President

There have been numerous indorsements of Colonel Alvin Owsley of Texas for the vice presidency. This has been a matter of seeking preferment upon the part of Colonel Owsley; but largely comes from those with State pride who would wish to see a Texan of the caliber of Colonel Owsley thus honored.

Tom Love opposes Colonel Owsley; as he opposes any other who is likely to in the least detract from the glorification of Tom Love. He has—he can have—no specific valid reason for any opposition to Colonel Owsley.

If the name of Colonel Owsley be presented to the National convention it will command at least a large complimentary vote—possibly might be successful; for he is a National figure as the result of his service as commander of the American Legion. Paris Morning News.

Sell Texas to Texans

If we would "sell" Texas and its opportunities to the world we must first sell it to Texans. No salesman who is not sold on the products he merchandises will make much progress.

Bring a visitor to Texas and he will see acres of diamonds beneath what seems very humdrum country to too many of those who live here.

Put the rippling streams of cool, water, coursing beneath bending trees, that lie within walking distance of our skyscrapers, in some American wonderlands and they would bring millions of dollars.

One of the best things our schools are doing is teaching our boys and girls intelligent appreciation of Texas. We have the wonder commonwealth of the Nation here. Let's tell the world about Texas—after we have learned about it ourselves.—Fort Worth Record.

Texas Democracy Is Progressive.

The McAdoo forces will dominate the Waco convention.

The Texas democracy will say that as it sees the matter, William Gibbs McAdoo is the man to put up as the party's standard-bearer.

Mr. McAdoo is a decided progressive, as that term is now generally understood and used.

Turn out the reactionaries and put in the progressives; that will be the battle cry of the democratic party in the event Mr. McAdoo is the nominee.

Texas democracy has put the stamp of its approval on progressive polices.—Waco Times-Herald.

Job Calls for a Cool Head

(From the Indianapolis tar.)

In view of the flurry that Japanese ambassador's note has stirerd up, peace-loving citizens will take great satisfaction in the fact that Hiram is hopelessly out of the running.

Hasn't Missed Chance to Talk

(From the Detroit News)

Hi Johnson missed his train, and there is a sentiment that he has missed something else he has been running for.

Local News

Miss Elizabeth and Mary Johns of Ft. Worth were the delightful guests here the past week of Mrs. Chas. Brownlow, their aunt. They left on an early train today for their home.

Mr. and Mrs. Monte Lawrence of Waco came over Sunday to visit in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Desenberg.

The Pioneer Newsies Ball Club held a meeting Friday night in the office of the business manager. After about two hours discussion the boys came to the conclusion that it is impossible to get games with boys their age and therefore decided to play any and every club which might desire a tilt with them.

Mrs. C. Thomas and T. L. Wiggins were hostesses at a 1 o'clock luncheon Monday at the Thomas home, in honor of Miss Franks, recently returned from California. Spring flowers were used in the decorations and the time after the luncheon was pleasantly spent over needlework.

Mrs. T. A. Kindred, 411 East Main street, has many Mexican Firebush plants which she will be glad to give to any who will call for them at once. The plants are very beautiful and would cost quite a good deal if ordered. Mrs. Kindred has more than she needs and has generously offered to give them to anyone wanting them.

One of the most charming guests of the season in Mexia was that of Miss Irene Jennison of San Antonio who spent last week in the home of her aunt, Mrs. Charles Miller. She left Monday afternoon with many pleasant memories of the visit here.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon McBride of Corsicana were visitors Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Owen F. Watkins. They formerly resided here and have many friends in the Mexia community.

If you have a guest show them the courtesy of letting The News tell the public about their presence here. Phone 146 or send in the item.

A large number of baseball fans from surrounding communities were here to see the game Saturday between the Gushers and thee Marlin Bathers.

Mr. and Mrs. Blake Smith returned Saturday night from Fort Worth where they spent Friday and Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Desenberg returned Sunday from a trip of about three weeks which carried them to points in the Middle West, East and to Cuba.

Considerable work is being done at present on the unpaved streets of Mexia, lending considerably to their appearance and service.

Mrs. Tom Bounds and daughters, Mesdames Jessie Miller and Allie Floyd, of Tehuacana were among the visitors to the city Saturday.

Miss Martha Williamson of Waco spent the week end in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Julian of this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Marcus Cannon and Mrs. Clyde Black of Thornton were visitors in the city Sunday.

Mrs. George Peyton is on a two weeks visit with a sister and other relatives in Shreveport, La.

Drew Sawyer was here Saturday from Shiloh.

J. H. Shelfer of Currie was on the streets Saturday.

James G. Willis of Tehuacana was a visitor to Mexia Saturday.

Rev. and Mrs. G. W. Kincheloe were in Corsicana Saturday.

David Murphy and Tom Nolan are on a fishing expedition this week.

Charles Watson and family and Dr. Clay Watson of Waco spent Sunday with their home folks here.

H. G. McNeese, formerly of this city, in now Secretary of the Motion Picture Theatres of Texas. According to reports from the company his services in this connection have won the commendation of all the directors. Dallas is his headquarters.

Mesdames W. K. Boyd and E. L. Smith are in Waco for the day.

Mrs. Blake Forrest is to leave today for Dallas.

The spinster carries a watch in order to husband her time, and the married woman for the purpose to timing her husband.

Laugh a little more at your own troubles and a little less at your neighbor's.

Tombstones cleaned at graves. Satisfactory work or no pay. See me at 103 Carthage street. G. W. Northcutt. 29-7

The accused must be deeply interested in the testimony of a witness when he hangs on his words.

Contrary to the general rule, the street car company finds the hanger on a source of revenue.

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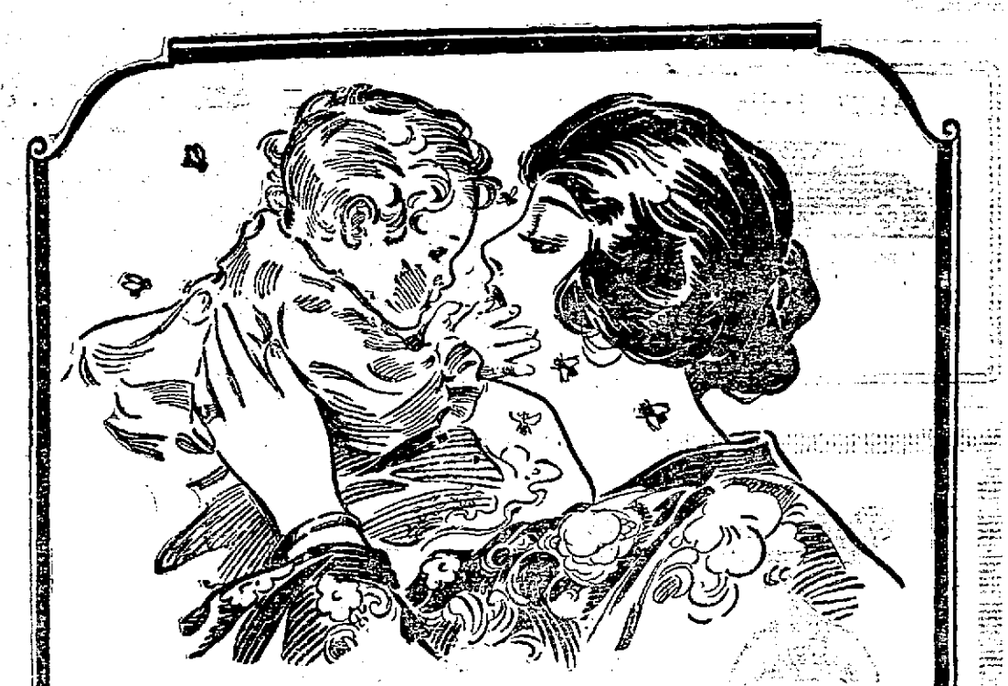

MOTHER! Will You Let Flies Take Your Baby From You?

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Intersectional Games Prove Hard For Champs

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Giants, playing championship ball rode wildly over the weaker Eastern clubs and accumulated what looked like a commanding lead but they slipped badly when they were given their first real challenge and they now have a lead of only a half gave over the dangerous Cincinnati Reds.

The Giants have their first slump against the poor Phillies when they blew a pair of games just before they hit the road on their first trip of the season and they dropped two more against the Cards.

The Cards are by record the weakest club in the West and the Reds, the Cubs and the Pirates should give the champions much more trouble than they are now having.

The Boston Braves were a surprise in their first series against the Pirates when they won the first two games. The Pirates are badly in need of pitchers and they will miss Babe Adams, whose arm has failed and who is practically through.

The losing streak of the Philadelphia Athletics has been one of the unusual features of the American League race. Connie Mack's team has dropped eleven games in a row and looks to be after a record. The Athletics were regarded before the season opened as one of the promising clubs in the league but they have been unable to get started.

Last year the Athletics ran into the same kind of a slump when they dropped twelve straight games after they had been up around the top of the league and they never did get back on their feet again.

Terrible weather that has caused numerous postponements is saddling a handicap on the New York Yankees that may prove heavy when Miller Huggins has to get into the doubleheaders.

Opening Review.

NEW YORK, May 12.—The stock market opened easier. Studebaker opened 321; Congoleum 39, North American 24 1-8; Woolen 64 1-4; New York Central 100, off 1-8; Marland 29 1-4, off 1-4; Atchison 100 7-8; Pan-American B 45 3-8, off 1-4; Steel 95 1-2 to 95 7-8 (5,000 shares,) off 1-4; New Haven 19 3-8; American Can 100, off 1 5-8; Texas Company 39, off 1-4; Reading 53.

Parade Feature Precedes Show

veled with some of the largest circuses in this country and abroad.

From all reports the parade tonight will be different from any other parade ever held in Mexia, and several surprises are in store, one of the special features being an automobile known as the "Bucking Broncho."

Prominent Citizen to Attempt Riding Broncho

Floid Hughes, a prominent citizen of Mexia, has stated that he would ride the "Bucking Broncho" in the parade tonight, and wagers have been made as to whether he can stay on the broncho without grabbing leather.

All the ladies are requested to be with their gentlemen and Nobles for the parade, and all Nobles are especially stressed to wear their fez.

Tuesday night at 7 o'clock sharp on the streets of Mexia a feat never before attempted in Mexia, will be the driving of an Overland automobile down the main streets of Mexia at break-neck speed. This automobile was brought from Waco especially for this experiment, and the populace of Mexia is invited to witness this novel and entertaining free experiment. This automobile will be driven down the streets at forty miles an hour backwards.

A free band concert will be given on the strets every night before the circus performance, and various features in the way of added attractions will be given every night during the circus.

The officers of the Shrine Club report a heavy advance ticket sale, and every thing points to the success of the circus and a gala week of entertainment.

WATCHING THE SCOREBOARD

Three errors by Jackson kept Gearin in trouble and the Giants lost the second game of the Western trip, the Cards winning 3 to 2.

The Athletics lost their eleventh straight game, the Indians copping 8 to 5.

Carlson was better in the pinches than Luque and the Phils beat the Reds 2 to 0.

Dutch Reuther was given a good pounding and the Cubs beat the Robins 5 to 4.

SAN PAULO, Brazil.—Erminio Spalla, European heavyweight champion, knocked out Benedicto, Brazilian heavyweight in the ninth round.

Congress Plans to Find Way Thru The Month

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vention has again been revived but party leaders still hold hopes of cleaning the legislative slate. This week will decide.

If President Coolidge vetoes the bonus, immigration or tax bills which are not to his liking, an extra session is considered inevitable

Here are how the prospects shape up now:

Tax reduction:

House and Senate bills go to conference today with prospects that the bill finally decided upon can not be placed before the President for two weeks.

Farm Relief:

The McNary-Haugen and Sinclair Norris price stabilization bills to be taken up by both Senate and House this week with a lengthy fight in prospect.

Railroads:

Senate Interstate Commerce Committee is preparing to report out the Smith resolution declaring agriculture a basic industry and instructing the Government rate-making commission to lower freight rates on farm products.

World court:

Seems lodged between the legislative jam in the Foreign Relations Committee. Democratic leaders, however, are planning to bring it arbitrarily to the floor and some kind of a vote on the issue will be forced before adjournment.

Immigration:

Conferees report will be passed by both houses this week and the bill sent to the President.

Bonus:

Leaders making arrangements to adopt the bill speedily if Mr. Coolidge vetoes it today or tomorrow.

For Mexia, I WILL.

Citizens Speak Of Unrest Found Outside of Mexia

Hon. James Gresham of this city has returned from Washington, D. C. where he had a case in the Supreme Court of the United States.

He states that he found considerable unrest in all states through which he passed, with Texas in better condition than any of them and a better feeling at Mexia than in any other place.

This same word was brought back by W. K. Boyd who spent a couple of weeks in Mississippi recently and again repeated by J. Desenberg who has returned from an extensive trip.

Everyone who has gone anywhere in the past several weeks comes back with the same bit of information, bearing out that Mexia is the best town in the best state in the best nation on earth.

FIGHTS AND FIGHTERS

NEW YORK.—Johnny Dundee, Junior lightweight and featherweight champion, has been matched to meet Louis Vincentini, Chilean champion at the Velodrome here May 28. Dundee's titles will not be at stake.

NEW YORK.—Bad weather today threatened to cause a postponement of the opening contest of the outdoor season between Harry Wills, negro heavyweight and Bartley Madden. The contest was scheduled for tonight in the new Queensboro Stadium. Promoters said that the contest would not be postponed unless it was raining at the time for the preliminaries to start. Wills was better than a 2 to 1 favorite to win in the betting.

Don't form an opinion until you have heard both sides—except in the case of a bass drum.

Why does a man's wife imagine that he has been drinking every time he calls her an angel?

Brownwood Host To W. T. C. of C.

BROWNWOOD, Texas, May 12.—Hundreds of West Texas business men gathered here today for the three-day convention of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce.

Leading cities of West Texas including Dallas, sent special trainloads of good will parties to the convention and social festivities, were arranged by the local business men.

Intense interest was manifested in the queen's ball, which will climax the celebration Thursday night. A hundred beautiful girls, representing that many West Texas towns, will be maids of honor at the coronation ceremonies, and the society ball which follows.

Reservations for 200 couples have been made for the affair, West Texas' biggest social event of the year.

The Westminster band will compete in the College Band Contest to be held at Brownwood this week in connection with other band contests for which prizes are to be given, it was announced at the College Monday. The band will be carried overland in cars and are expected to leave Wednesday.

Singing Convention Draws Big Crowd

The county singing convention held at Prairie Point near Groesbeck Saturday night and Sunday was the largest attended and most successful of any previous convention according to those who attended the convention from here. Between four and five thousand persons were present, it is said. Seven counties were represented in the attendance.

T. J. Daugherty of Mexia was elected president of the convention for the next year. A move is now on foot to make the Reunion Ground a permanent place of meeting for the convention.

Some men manage to keep from being imposed upon by being disagreeable.

For Mexia, I WILL.

T. W. Osborne is in charge of the trip and will direct the band. The organization now consists of twenty-two members.

AMERICAN LEGION TO MEET TUESDAY NIGHT

Owen F. Watkins, Post Commander of the American Legion, has called a meeting of the Legion to be held at the headquarters of the post Tuesday night of this week. A full attendance of the membership is urged.

A. C. Clover, of Addis, La., spent Sunday here on a visit to his brother, Charlie Clover.

For Mexia, I WILL.

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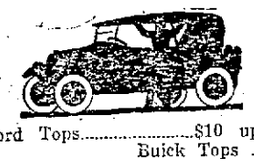

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Gushers Hit Heavily And Win From Bathers

MEXIA THIRD IN PENNANT CHASE IN BASEBALL LEAGUE

The Mexia Gushers won easily in the game staged at Gusher park Sunday afternoon, when they knocked Meeks of Marlin out of the box. Carl Hill occupied the mound for the Gushers.

Mexia is now in third place, with Waco and Corsicana on top.

Another road trip as successful as the first one out will place the local club back in leading position in the pennant race. By defeating Temple Sunday, the Waco Indians went into first place.

Marlin—	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Craig c f	3	0	0	3	0	0
Alexander 2 b-c	4	0	2	5	6	0
Greer 1 f-2 b	4	0	0	2	1	1
Pipkin 1 b	4	2	2	6	1	0
Munson r f	2	0	1	0	1	0
Rawlins s s	3	0	1	6	5	0
White 3 b	4	0	2	0	3	1
Smith c	1	0	0	2	0	0
Meeks p	1	0	0	0	1	0
York p	2	0	0	0	2	0
Gressett 1 f	3	0	0	0	0	0
Total	31	2	8	24	20	2
Mexia—						
Ceppert s s	5	0	2	2	4	1
Wren l f	3	1	0	2	1	0
Butler 1 b	2	1	1	9	0	0
Bryan c f	4	2	2	2	0	0
Jones 3 b	2	1	0	1	2	0
McDowell r f	3	0	1	1	0	0
Fowlkes c	3	1	1	5	0	0
Leedy 2 b	3	1	1	5	4	0
Carl Hill p	3	1	1	0	3	0
Total	28	8	9	27	14	1

Gressett batted for Smith in fourth.

Marlin .....010 100 000—2
Mexia .....320 030 00*—8

Home run Pipkin. Two-base hits—Bryan, Leedy. Stolen base—Munson. Struck out—By York 3, Hill 3. Bases on balls—Off Meeks 3, York 5, Hill 3. Pitchers' record—Off Meeks 6 hits, 5 runs in 1 1-3 innings. Losing pitcher—Meeks.

5,280 AUTOMOBILES IN LIMESTONE COUNTY

According to the records in the office of the tax collector of Limestone County at Groesbeck 5,280 licenses have been issued to automobile owners in this county.

There are times when the average boy would like to assume the role of father to the man for a few brief moments.

Rough Dry

The Old Apple Still Getting Long Rides

By HENRY L. FARRELL
(United Press Sports Editor)

NEW YORK, May 12.—Heavy hitting, which was one of the features of the early weeks of the 1924 major league baseball season might be accepted as proof that it was the lively ball more than the decline in pitching that changed the modern game.

Introduction of the lively ball, although the magnates stoutly denied any purpose of scattering Babe Ruth's around the two circuits, came shortly after the rule had been passed against the use of any foreign substance on the ball as an aid to pitchers and they joined to bring about a wild orgy of slugging.

It was an obvious fact that something was wrong and as long as the league presidents persisted in claiming that no changes had been made in the construction of the ball, it had to be accepted that the pitchers had been handicapped too heavily by the rule against the spitted, the shiner, the emery ball and their first cousins of the trick trade.

Umpires were ordered to toss out of play any ball that bore the slightest evidence of tampering and they were so zealous in carrying out the strict letter of the rule that they would throw a new ball in play when ever a ball became soiled or when the hide became scuffed enough for a pitcher to get a hold on it that might make it do tricks.

Hitting, once a feature of the game, became so common that it was in danger of spoiling interest and taking all the science out of the game. To correct this evil the magnates last winter recommended that balls be kept in play longer, so that pitchers would not be forced to work almost entirely with new balls.

Results were almost immediately apparent at the start of the season. Pitchers worked more effectively and it was noticeable that the volume of hitting had been decreased.

At the same time, however, it was shown when a heavy swinger took hold he got just as much of a drive as he did in the past three seasons. While pitchers were able to hold their opposition to fewer hits, they were unable to keep the ball from taking its old ride when it got in front of a heavy swinging club.

In the first two weeks of the major league pennant races there were more home runs hit than were during the corresponding period of the 1923 season.

The total home runs hit in both leagues during the first two weeks of the 1924 season was 75 against 67 hit in the same period the year previous. This year showed a decrease of four in the National and an increase of twelve in the American League.

Some critics were of the opinion that the better form of the pitchers at the first of the pennant races this season was the result of better physical condition. It was pointed out that practically every manager in the major leagues was, more or less, decided about his infield and his outfield when he took his squad South.

MITCHELL CHOKES RALLY

WACO, Texas, May 11.—Mitchell went in in the ninth today and choked off a Temple rally, Waco winning 5 to 4.

Waco—	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Kelly 1 f	4	1	2	0	0	0
Strickland 2 b	4	0	1	2	4	1
Lewis s s	5	0	0	3	3	0
Hall r f	4	2	1	1	0	0
Province c f	4	0	2	1	0	0
Shires 1 b	4	0	1	11	2	0
McBride 3 b	4	1	-	3	2	2
Humphreys c	3	0	3	6	2	0
Ragan p	1	0	0	0	0	0
Mitchell p	0	1	0	0	1	0
Total	33	5	11	27	14	3
Temple—						
Lance 3 b	4	1	1	2	1	0
Moore s s	4	0	0	1	6	1
Brown c f	5	1	1	1	0	0
Lind r f	5	0	0	4	0	0
Royster 1 b	3	0	1	8	1	0
Webb l f	4	1	2	0	0	0
Nichols 2 b	4	1	-	4	0	0
Hudspeth c	4	0	1	4	3	1
Nugent p	3	0	1	0	1	0
Lacy	1	0	1	0	0	0
McCall p	0	0	0	0	1	0
Total	37	4	9*25	13	2	

Lacy batted for Nugent in ninth.
*One out when winning run scored.

Temple .....100 000 003—4
Waco .....011 011 001—5

Two base hits—Humphreys, Nichols Lacy. Stolen bases—Humphreys, Hall Kelly, Mitchell. Strike outs—Ragan 4, Mitchell 1, Nugent 3. Bases on balls—Ragan 1, Mitchell 3, Nugent 2, McCall 3. Pitchers' records—Off Ragan 9 hits, 3 runs in 8 1-3 innings; Mitchell no hits, 1 run in 2-3 inning; McCall, no hits, 1 run in 1-3 inning; Nugent, 4 hits, 11 runs in 8 innings.

GENERAL ASSEMBLY AT SAN ANTONIO TO BE ATTENDED BY PRESBYTERIANS OF FIRST CHURCH OF THIS CITY

(Continued from Page One)

Correspondence. Report of Permanent Committee on Men's Work. Popular meeting in the evening in the interest of Foreign Missions.

Sunday, May 18.

No sessions of the Assembly. Pulpit of San Antonio churches occupied by commissioners.

Monday, May 19.

Report of the Standing Committee on Bills and Overtures. Popular meeting at evening session in interest of Christian Education and Ministerial Relief.

Tuesday, May 20.

Report of Standing Committees on Foreign Missions, Publication and Sabbath School Work and Home Missions. Popular meeting in the evening in the interest of Home Missions.

Wednesday, May 21.

Report of Standing Committees on C. E. and M. R. and Stewardship. Report of various Ad-Interim Committees.

Thursday, May 22.

Report of Standing Committees of Church Societies, Assembly's Training School, Bible Cause, Synodical Records Audits, Mileage and Leave of Absence. Reports of various Ad-Interim Committees. Resolutions. Adjournment.

Ad-Interim Committees.

The following Ad-Interim Committees will make reports to Assembly: "Amendments to the Book of Church Order," Dr. W. L. Lingle, chairman; On Membership of the Assembly's Stewardship Committee, Dr. W. E. Hill, chairman; on the Proposed Presbyterian Foundation, Dr. E. L. Hill, chairman; on the Problems of the Country Church, Dr. W. H. Mills, chairman; on the Conditions of Our Border Synods, Dr. Russell Cecil, chairman; on the Bureau of Vacancy and Supply, Dr. R. F. Campbell, chairman; on Closer Co-operation of Home and Foreign Missions Committees, J. Nat Harrison, chairman.

Days Appointed by the Assembly.

1. Day of Prayer for Schools and Colleges—Last Sunday in February.
2. Week of Prayer for the Every Member Canvass—Preceding the Canvass in March.
3. Lord's Day Alliance and Protestant Relief in Europe—First Sunday in July.
4. Reformation Day—Last Sunday in October.
5. Home Mission Week—Second week in November.
6. Equipment Day—First Sunday in December.

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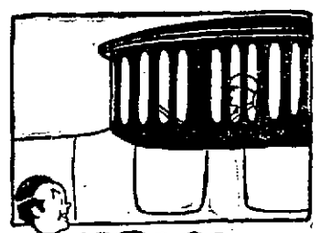

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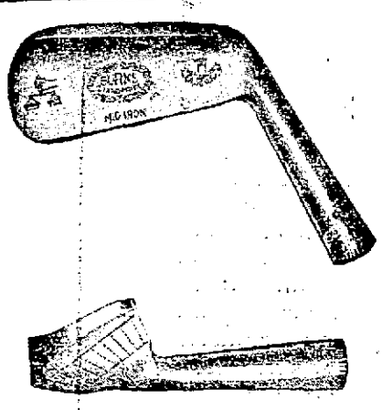

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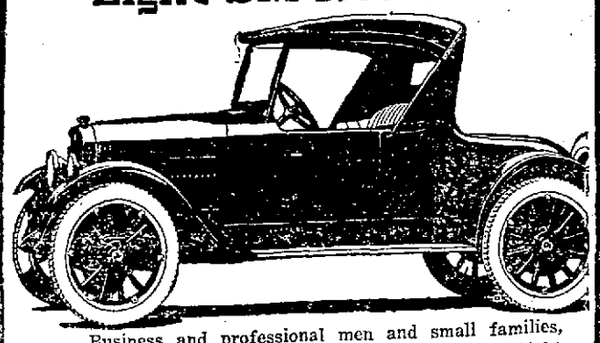

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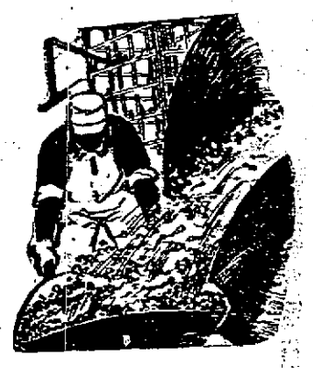

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Yesterday's Results.

Mexia 8, Marlin 2.
Austin 11, Corsicana 9.
Waco 5, Temple 4.

Standing of Clubs.

Clubs—	P	W	L	Pct
Waco	17	11	6	.647
Corsicana	16	10	6	.625
Mexia	18	10	8	.556
Marlin	16	7	9	.500
Temple	16	6	10	.375
Austin	17	6	11	.353

Where They Play Today.

Temple at Waco.
Austin at Corsicana.
Mexia at Marlin.

TEXAS LEAGUE

Yesterday's Results.

Dallas 2, Houston 1.
Galveston 12, Wichita Falls 4.
Beaumont 9, Shreveport 4.
Fort Worth 10, San Antonio 7.

Standing of Clubs.

Clubs—	P	W	L	Pct.
Fort Worth	24	19	5	.792
San Antonio	25	17	8	.680
Dallas	25	14	11	.560
Witchita Falls	24	12	12	.500
Houston	25	11	14	.440
Beaumont	25	11	14	.440
Galveston	25	10	15	.400
Shreveport	23	4	19	.174

Where They Play Today.

Houston at Dallas.
Galveston at Wichita Falls.
San Antonio at Fort Worth.
Beaumont at Shreveport.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Yesterday's Results.

Cleveland 8, Philadelphia 5.
New York-Chicago, rain.
Detroit-Washington, rain.

Standing of Clubs.

Clubs—	P	W	L	Pct.
New York	20	14	6	.700
Boston	18	10	8	.556
Detroit	20	11	9	.550
St. Louis	21	11	10	.521
Chicago	19	9	10	.474
Washington	22	10	12	.455
Cleveland	20	9	11	.450
Philadelphia	20	7	13	.350

Where They Play Today.

St. Louis at Boston.
Cleveland at Philadelphia.
Detroit at Washington.
Chicago at New York.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Yesterday's Results.

Philadelphia 2, Cincinnati 0.
Chicago 5, Brooklyn 4.
St. Louis 3, New York 2.

Standing of Clubs.

Clubs—	P	W	L	Pct.
New York	21	14	7	.667
Cincinnati	20	13	7	.650
Chicago	21	14	10	.583
Brooklyn	21	10	11	.476
Boston	18	8	10	.444
Pittsburgh	23	10	13	.435
Philadelphia	17	6	11	.353
St. Louis	20	7	11	.350

Where They Play Today.

New York at St. Louis.
Philadelphia at Cincinnati.
Brooklyn at Chicago.
Boston at Pittsburgh.

EAST TEXAS LEAGUE

Yesterday's Results.

Longview 3, Marshall 2.
Tyler 15, Sulphur Springs 5.
Mount Pleasant 11, Paris 3.
Texarkana 8, Greenville 4.

Standing of Clubs.

Club—	P	W	L	Pct
Mount Pleasant	19	13	6	.671
Greenville	19	11	8	.579
Tyler	18	10	8	.556
Paris	18	10	8	.556
Sulphur Springs	19	10	9	.526
Longview	18	8	10	.444
Marshall	18	7	11	.389
Texarkana	17	4	13	.235

Where They Play Today.

Sulphur Springs at Tyler.
Mount Pleasant at Paris.
Marshall at Longview.
Greenville at Texarkana.

HORSE RACING IN ENGLAND.

NEW MARKET, England.—Humtaz Mahal, Aga Kahn's crack filly was beaten today in the 1,000 guineas by Lord Roseberry's Plack, with Sir Edward Halton's Straightlace third. Sixteen ran. The 1,000 guineas was for class 3 year olds fillies at uniform weight, 126 pounds, over a mile.

Paddock Still Has All Of His Old Speed

By HENRY L. FARRELL
(United Press Sports Editor)

NEW YORK, May 12.—Charley Paddock, the world's champion sprinter, has not lost any of his terrific speed, it was made apparent when the Californian ran one hundred yards in 9 3-5 seconds at the recent Drake relay carnival.

Paddock cinched a place on the American Olympic team when the Amateur Athletic Union showed itself big enough to admit that we was no common culprit and declared him eligible for the Olympic games.

The California star was sure of an appointment to the team on past performances, if nothing else, but it was most pleasing for him to show that he still has the speed to get out and grab himself an American shield by running faster than all the other candidates for the team.

When Lawson Robertson, head coach of the American Olympic team was told at the Pennsylvania relays that Paddock had equalled his record he frowned and remarked: "That boy shouldn't be doing that. He doesn't have to make any new records to get a place on the team, and he's running the risk of hurting himself."

Other prominent eastern coaches at the Penn games expressed the same opinion and said that he ought to take it easy and train so that he would be just reaching his form in June.

Paddock, no doubt, realizes the same thing, but it is no difficult task to find the reason for his desire to show his real form at this early date in the season.

The young Californian has been hounded and heckled by the 'wise guys" of the east, who said that his records on the coast were phony, that he was allowed to make his own starts in California and that they used rubber watches on him.

It was the first chance at the Drake carnival he had been given in two years to show that he was a legitimate champion, that he did not have to do his running on his home track and that he wasn't particular who held the watches on him.

Nearly every reason possible has been used to belittle Paddock and his sprinting. The latest ones were that he had beaten the gun when he ran the hundred and when he made a new record for 125 yards they took the times caught by five watches and split the difference. It will be illigical for any more slighting references to be made about California time-keepers when five men hold ing the watches at the Drake meet did not agree in even two instances.

It will be interesting to wait and see by what process of reasoning the officials say the next time he breaks or equals one of his records that it doesn't count.

Some critics were astounded when they heard that Paddock had retained all his power and speed after nearly two years' absence from real competition. There is nothing strange about it. Paddock is still good because he is a good, clean liver and he has kept himself constantly in condition.

It is probable, now that he has vindicated himself, that Paddock will pull up and do his training by degrees for the Olympic trials. It is to be hoped that when he comes to the final trials at the Harvard stadium that he will feel like doing some of his real running and make some of his leading eastern razzers eat their criticism.

RANGERS WIN BATTING BEE

CORSICANA, Texas, May 11.—Corsicana dropped a slug-fest to Austin Sunday, 11 to 9 in a game replete with errors. Barrett and Brooks died in the ninth with two men on bases. Hollis was chased in the first inning.

Corsicana—	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Etheridge l f	5	2	3	2	0	0
Malmquist 2 b	5	1	1	7	3	1
Thornton 1 b	5	1	0	7	0	0
Barrett r f	5	2	3	3	0	0
Courtney c f	5	0	1	3	0	0
Sain s s	4	2	2	0	5	0
Meyers 3 b	4	0	1	0	2	2
Hoffman c	5	0	1	4	1	1
Hollis p	0	0	0	0	0	0
Gernandt p	2	0	0	0	1	0
Brown	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lind p	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hamilton	2	1	0	0	0	0
Totals	40	9	11	26	12	4

Austin—	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Bedford l f	5	2	1	2	0	0
Pipkin 2 b	6	1	2	2	1	0
Courtney r f	5	2	2	0	0	1
Clements 3 b	4	1	1	1	0	1
Anheier 1 b	5	0	1	9	2	0
Grigg c f	4	1	2	1	0	0
Henderson c	4	1	1	7	0	1
Matthews s s	4	1	1	4	3	1
Brooks p	5	2	1	1	0	1
Total	42	11	12	27	6	5

Matthews out in first, infield fly.

Brown batted for Gernandt in seventh.

Hamilton batted for Lind in ninth.

Austin .....300 006 200—11
Corsicana .....400 000 005— 9

Home runs—Brooks, Barrett. Two base hits—Clements, Etheridge, Henderson. Stolen bases—L. Courtney, Bernandt, Matthews. Strike outs—By Gernandt 3, Lind 1, Brooks 5. Bases on balls—Gernanda 5, Brooks 2. Pitchers' record—Off Brooks 11 hits, 9 runs in 9 innings; Hollis 5 hits, 3 runs in 1-3 inning; Gernandt 7 hits, 8 runs in 6 2-3 innings; Lind no hits, no runs in 2 innings. Losing pitcher—Gernandt.

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LEAGUE COMMENT

By HECK

The Waco Indians are winning again and Jinx Tucker is back with the big headlines on his sport page—Stay in there Jinx.

It was a tough break for Irish Kelly to miss getting his daily hit Friday but Geppert had oodles of time to get the flying Indian and mussed the play up and it goes for an error—and the score keeper gets the blame.

The Indians have a good ball club, a durn good one, but not as good as reports from Waco caused us to think. Jack Shires at first base is the whole infield for without him Lewis, Mcbride and Strickland would make oodles of boots each game, especially wild throws. Shires has no peer in this or any other league I have seen in play as a first baseman and his work is easily the feature of the Waco club.

Naturally, Kelly is the whole "kick" of the Waco attack and the balance do the best they can and that lets them out.

Joe Muson, esterwhile Dallas Steer, N. Y. Yankee, Galveston Sand Crab, etc., etc., etc., now wears a Marlin uniform and my hunch isthat he will give the Bathers the punch they have been lacking this season.

Munson is not only a sweet fly hawk but is fast as a bullet and boy, how he can hit. Keep your eye on Joe and see where he finishes in the batting honors of the loop.

I heard a remark in a local tonsorial parlor a few days ago that the resaon that particular party did not subscribe to the Mexia baseball fund was because the seven or eight directors of the local club each held a season pass and did not pay to see the games and that they did not feel like donating to the club when "them fellers got in for nothing." To that party I want to whisper that he is wrong—dead wrong—for the directors of the Mexia club all lay the "cash on the barrel head" when they go to the park and none of them are the class of men who would even think of trying to "mooch" their way to a ball game.

The directors of the Mexia club are everyone a dyed-in-the-wool fan and what is more they are 100% sports and regular fellows and you don't have to take my word for that—ask anybody and they pay their way everywhere they go—in fact pay MORE than their way and if it had not have been for them we would not have had baseball this season—get me?

Butler looks like the best first sacker the Gushers have had this season and if playing the infield don't interfere with his hitting he should be going great guns by the middle of the season. Butler has it all over Peake and is faster with his feet than the skipper, but then the skipper is a catcher and makes no claim of playing the infield although I have a hunch he could do it.

This bird Mitchell who shut us out Friday has a curve that circles the players bench before it crossed the plate and cuts up various other didos in its flight to the plate, but at that he is going to lose many a game this season on wildness. Mitchell is a swell pitcher and no argument to that but there are others that will beat him for the league leadership.

Mike Schmid will run him close and so will Sanders of Gushers, Thomas boy Nugent of Temple should win a of Marlin—maybe Gressett—and this flock of games if Rankin will get another second baseman and one more good hitter to help things along.

Umpire Price took the count of nine when a foul tip sneaked under his mask and socked him on the wishbone Friday. Tom was game, however, and came back in great style and handled the game in his usual splendid fashion.

Jeffries deserved a win on the game he pitched Friday. He had plenty of stuff, fine control and was complete master of the Indians excepting the third frame when Jones' foot throwed him off balance for a few minutes and the Redskins chalked up a win in jig time.

Jeffries looked line a real pitcher by the way he came back after the bad inning and held the Indians helpless and he looks like a real find and will win a lot of games with regular work.

Coolidge Schools Close the Session

The baccalaureate sermon for the graduates of the Coolidge High School was delivered at the Methodist church of that place Sunday by Dr. Sewell of Abilene. The graduating exercises will be held Thursday night, May 15, which also will be held in the Methodist church. Dean Edward P. Childs of Trinity University will deliver the address. Next Monday night, May 19, the seventh grade exercises are to be held.

WASHINGTON.—The Senate today passed the tax bill and sent it to conference with the House. As passed the measure has virtually no resemblance to the bill reported by the Senate Finance Committee three weeks ago. All of the important schedule of the Mellon plan was wiped out by the democratic progressive coalition and democratic rates substituted.

PITTSBURGH, Pa.—Twenty five persons were overcome by cardon monoxide gas in the Liberty Tunnel, leading from the south hills into downtown Pittsburgh today when two automobiles crashed 200 yards from the north entrance and jammed traffic for a mile and a quarter to the south entrance. The incident is a direct result of the trolly strike as the Liberty Tunnel is a foot and vehicle traffic tube and thousands were walking through the passage.

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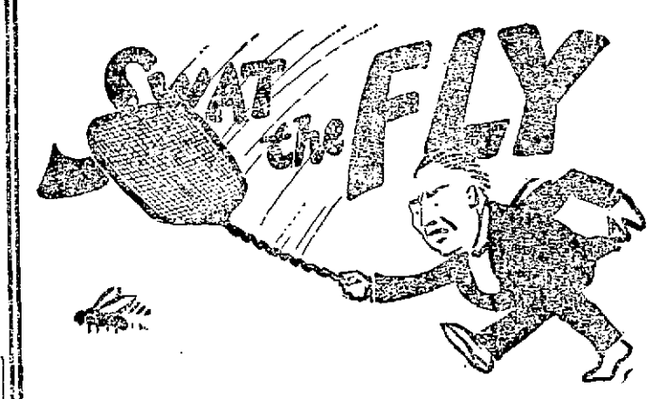

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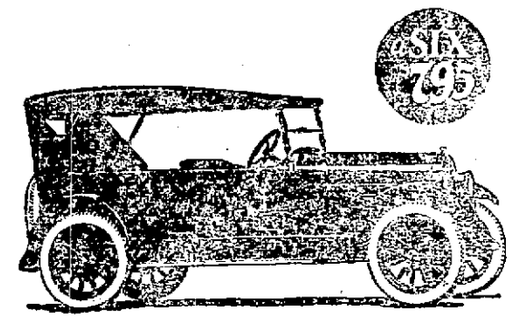

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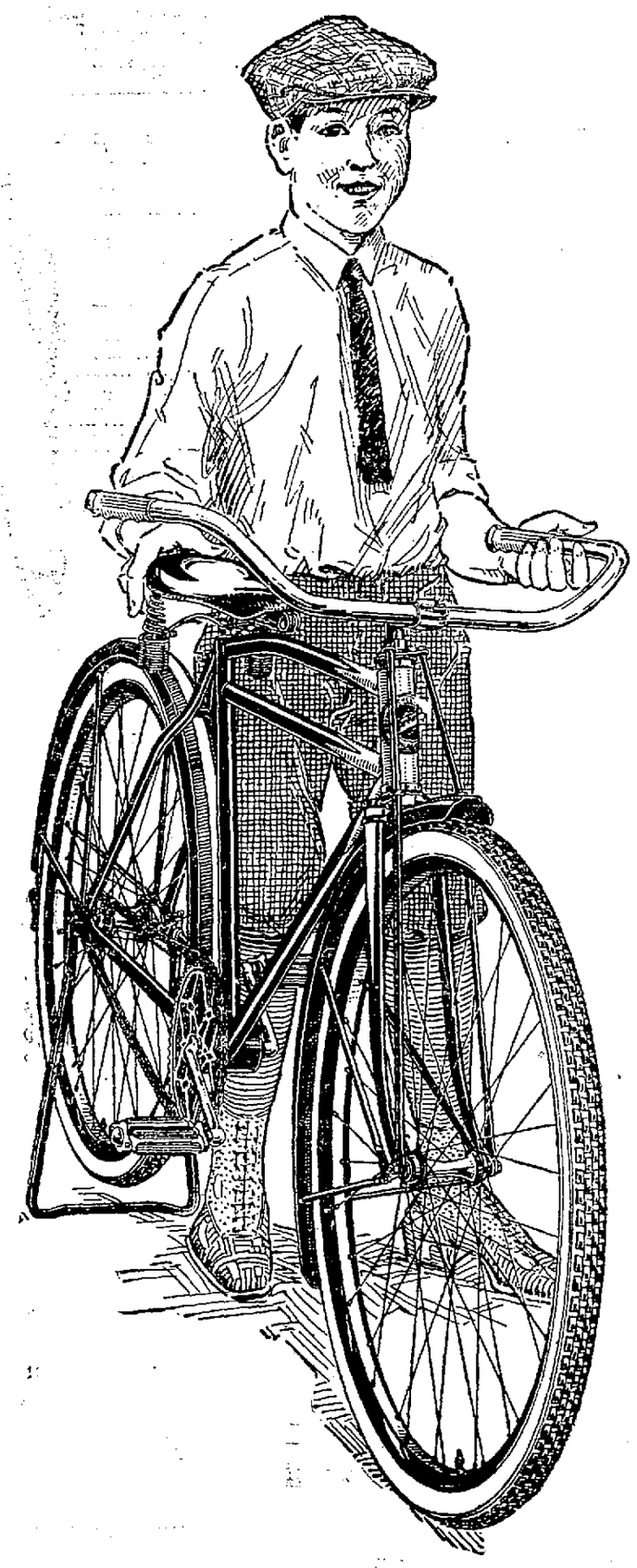

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-Don't let the boys win all the bicycles. Remember that there is a girl's beautiful model Premier, made especially for girls.

BOYS AND GIRLS---

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-Complete conditions of campaign will be given or sent to boys or girls who fill out this coupon and mail it or bring it in to The Mexia Daily News office.

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Bicycle Dept.
Mexia, Texas.

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The Day's Opportunities As Told In The Classified Ads

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Bringing Up Father Appears Daily in The Mexia Daily News
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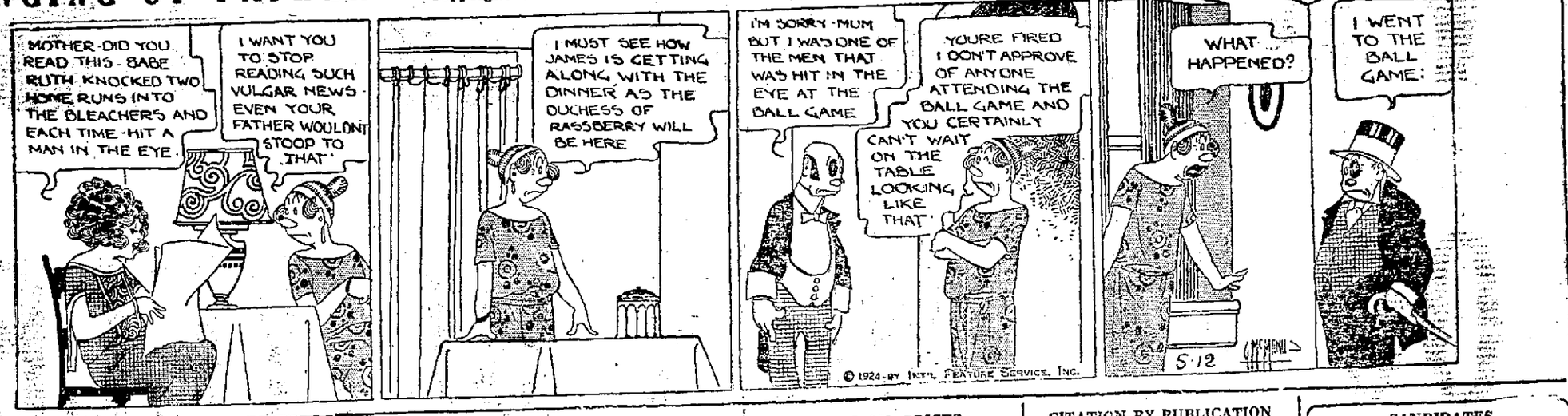
By George McManus


MOTHER-DID YOU READ THIS-BABE RUTH KNOCKED TWO HOME RUNS INTO THE BLEACHERS AND EACH TIME-HIT A MAN IN THE EYE.
I WANT YOU TO STOP READING SUCH VULGAR NEWS-EVEN YOUR FATHER WOULDN'T STOOP TO THAT'
I MUST SEE HOW JAMES IS GETTING ALONG WITH THE DINNER AS THE DUCHESS OF RASSBERRY WILL BE HERE
I'M SORRY-MUM BUT I WAS ONE OF THE MEN THAT WAS HIT IN THE EYE AT THE BALL GAME
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HELP WANTED—A

BEAUTY WORK—5 women to travel, demonstrate and sell dealers well known toilet goods. $25 to $50 per week. Ry. fare paid. If not free to travel ask about our local representative proposition. Experience desirable but not necessary as we train you. Write quick. Goodrich Drug Co., Omaha, Nebr.—(Adv.)

WANTED—Ladies in this locality to embroider linens for us at home during their leisure moments. Write at once. "Fashion Embroiderers," 994 Lima. Ohio. 7A6

WANTED—We want your entire family washing. Read our advertisement in this paper today. New Way Laundry. Phone 399. 29A10

WANTED TO BUY—E

WANT TO BUY—J. K. Hughes Developing Company, E. L. Smith Oil Company, Mexia Heart of Pool Royalty Company, Powell Five Hundred. Jesse McLendon, room 1 McLendon building, Mexia, Texas. 18E30

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—F

WE SELL and exchange all kinds of furniture, floor covering, stoves, and kitchen hardware. M. Langston, new and second hand furniture. Phone 56. May 10tf.

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SECOND HAND PIPE—10,000 feet 4-inch 30c; 50,000 feet 2½-inch 8c, 500,000 feet other size pipe, complete rotary drilling rigs and oil well machinery for sale or rent. Texas Supply Co., 2016 Lorraine St., Houston, Texas. 6G7

FOR SALE—J

$800.00 BUYS practically new three-room house, 2 lots, garage; lights, water, gas; garden, chicken yard. It's a dandy buy. Part cash, balance easy. Will consider good car. 221 Brooks street. See owner. 9J3

REAL SILK HOSIERY—The economical way of buying silk hose. Mrs. J. D. Burchim, representative. Phone 398-L. Address 223 East Milam st., Mexia. 4J7

FOR SALE—Three room house, kitchenette, on paved street, close in, no taxes. $50.00 cash, balance $25.00 per month. Also 5 room house with sleeping porch, close in on, paved street. $200.00 cash and $30.00 monthly. Am leaving town. Apply 314 E. Hopkins. 11J3

ROOMS FURNISHED—L

FOR RENT—Two light housekeeping rooms furnished, sink in kitchen, two blocks North Postoffice, 318 North Sherman. Phone 108-J. 11L2

GATES APARTMENTS—Under new management. two and three room apartments for rent. Phone 633. 7L30

FOR RENT—Desirable two-room furnished apartment, close in; lights, gas stove, sink in kitchen, bath; modern; three blocks south City Hall. 305 E. Hunt. 9L2

FOR RENT—Three room apartment, modern; bath and garage. Reasonable. Phone 560-J or call 510 North Ross. 9L3

FOR RENT—Three nicely furnished rooms, modern conveniences, close in. See Hugh Walker at Cheeves Bros. 4L7

FOR RENT—Modern three room apartment; close in and on pavement. Unless you want something good do not apply. Address Box 336 or Phone 336 or call 508 East Carthage. 6L4

HOUSES WANTED—O

WANTED TO RENT—Five or six room modern house. Phone 476 National Supply Co. 11O7

MISCELLANEOUS—P

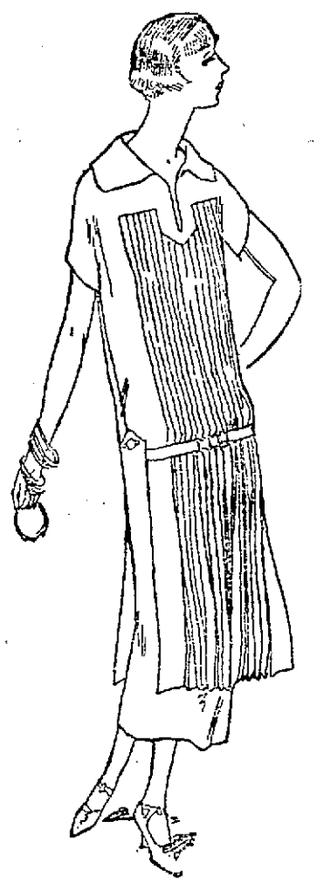
RED BALL HOUSE MOVING CO.—318 N. Sherman. Phone 108-J. 5P7

WANTED—Someone to share immigrant car to Luling, Texas. Would like to ship not later than Wednesday. See J. P. Henry, Pickering Lumber Yard. 13P2

Mexia Man Makes Speech at Farrar At School's End

W. B. Byers of the firm of Byers and Aultman delivered the commencement address for the Farrar school which closed Thursday night. Mr. Byers' subject was "Aristocracy and Aristocracies" and was pronounced by those who heard it as one of the finest addresses ever delivered in the county.

THIS FROCK OPENS ATHLETIC SEASON



Since it is difficult to tell just when you will be called upon to play in a game of quoits, it is well to keep in practice with your bracelets, seems to be the opinion of the lady in the picture who is just about to ring the stake with her amber circlet. Sets of from four to eight bracelets have become part of the equipment of the smart Parisian women, according to Henri Creange, the fashion authority. Sometimes they are all of the same material, sometimes a rainbow of iridescent glass. If a number are to be worn they must be quite small unless you wish to cripple yourself. For the single bracelet a wide, old-fashioned gold band is often seen.

The dress illustrated, of rose colored Frostkrepe, a substantial crepe weave with a characteristic sparkle, itself offers scope for athletic achievements. It hangs loosely from the shoulders, the belt being a decorative rather than a confining influence. The short sleeves are loose and the neck line, with its wide rolling collar and V offers a great deal of freedom to the neck. The pleats, which summer always brings upon us are present in full force. In this frock they are however combined with plain material in a most interesting manner. The pleated panel down the front and back is framed in plain material which follows the V in front and makes a straight yoke across the back. The tunic flies loose over a tight underskirt which, it should be noticed is slit at the beltline to allow the belt to go under it and buttons up on the waist in a tab about three inches wide.

Judge O. C. Kirven To Be Buried At Corsicana Tuesday

Judge Oliver Carter Kirven, who died at the home of his son, William Kirven, in Santa Anna, California, will be buried in Corsicana, Tuesday, May 14 at 2 o'clock. His remains are expected to arrive there this afternoon Quite a number from here are expecting to attend the funeral of the beloved pioneer of this section. He settled, while an infant, near Kirven in Freestone county, which place bears his family name. He was an outstanding figure in social, legal and political circles. He served this district as district attorney when the district was composed of Freestone, Limestone and Navarro Counties. He was chairman of the Board of Pardons during the administration of Governor O. B. Colquitt.

STOLLENWERCK IS HONORED BY THE ROTARY CLUB

Last Thursday at noon the Rotary club observed Ben Stollenwerck Day in honor of the retired Secretary. Albert H. Berry, former President of the club, stated the case fully when he said that Mr. Stollenwerck had been the best secretary the club had ever had. He has been Secretary since its organization here.

Hardy Eubanks presided at the luncheon which was held in the dining room of the Hurdleston Hotel, now the Texas Cafe. The space is much larger there than in formerly used meeting places and the crowd was accomodated without inconvenience.

Ike Keys was introduced to speak on "Ben Stollenwerck as Secretary of the Chamber of Commerce."

Mack McIntosh spoke on "Ben Stollenwerck as a Citizen."

Rev. Victor K. Aubrey, his pastor, discussed "Ben Stollenwerck as a Churchman."

Mr. Berry talked about him "As a Rotarian" and Pat Patterson led a round table discussion on "good, bad and indifferent."

Few citizens have ever been paid higher compliments than Mr. Stollenwerck received by the Rotarians. It was pointed out that he had rendered many services to Mexia as a Secretary of its Chamber of Commerce, that he had been responsible for the building of the four miles of paved highway south of town, had secured a million dollars worth of more assets in tank farms for Limestone County and had done many other things which had never been credited to him. His pastor said that the little church around the corner would miss him more than any other insititution with which he was connected, it being pointed out that he was a member of the official board of the Central Presbyterian church and seldom missed a service of any kind at any time.

Mr. Berry presented him for the club a handsome fountain pen, as a memento of the regard of the membership for him, which it was explained could not be expressed in dollars and cents with any gift however expensive.

Mr. Stollenwerck was then introduced by Hardy Eubanks to defend himself. He responded with much feeling, stating that he knew he was unworthy of all the fine things that had been said, stated again his love for Mexia and urged the citizenship here to go forward and not backward and to carry on fully the program that would mean a bigger and better Mexia.

CRUDE OIL PRICES

Midcontinent.

Below 30 gravity	$1.25
30 to 32.9 gravity	1.45
33 to 35.9 gravity	1.75
36 to 38.9 gravity	2.00
39 gravity and above	2.25
Magnalia prices:	
Below 28 grivity	$1.00
28 to 30.9 gravity	1.20
31 to 32.9 gravity	1.45
33 to 35.9 gravity	1.75
36 to 38.9 gravity	2.00
39 gravity and above	2.25

North Central Texas.

Corsicana light	$2.00
Corsicana heavy	1.00
Thrall	1.00
Mexia	2.00
Currie	2.25
Rockdale-Minerva	1.60
Owens Refining Company paying the following on Rockdale-Minerva:	
36 to 38.9 gravity	$1.85
39 and above	2.00

South Texas.

Mirando	.80

Somerset.

Below 33 gravity	$1.15
33 to 35.9 gravity	1.40
36 to 38.9 gravity	1.60
39 gravity and above	1.75

Gulf Coast.

Grade A	$1.65
Grade B at Blue Ridge, Hull and Pierce Junction	1.40

Louisiana-Arkansas.

Caddo.

38 gravity and above	$1.70
35 to 37.9 gravity	1.60
32 to 34.9 gravity	1.50
Below 32 gravity	1.35

East Texas.

Nacogdoches shallow oil	$2.15

Premium of 50c a barrel over price of Texas Coastal Grade A crude posted for Nacogdoches shallow by Yuba Refining Company.

Homer.

35 gravity and above	$1.70
33 to 34.9 gravity	1.60
31 to 32.9 gravity	1.50
Below 31 gravity	1.35
33 gravity and above	1.60
Below 33 gravity	1.50

Bull Bayou.

38 gravity and above	$1.55
35 to 37.9 gravity	1.50
32 to 34.9 gravity	1.35
De Soto crude	1.70
Crichton	1.50
Bellevue	1.55
Jennings	1.65
Vinton	1.65
Edgerly crude	1.65
26 gravity and above	1.35
25 to 25.9 gravity	1.20
24 to 24.9 gravity	1.10

Smackover.

Below 24 gravity	1.00

El Dorado.

33 gravity and above	$1.70
Below 33 gravity	1.60
El Dorado east field (Calion)	1.00

Stephens District.

(Atlantic.)

Posted by Atlantic Oil Company:

28 gravity and above 60 degrees	$1.40
26 to 27.9 gravity at 60 degrees	1.35
23 to 25.9 gravity at 60 degrees	1.20
Below 23 gravity at 60 degrees	1.00

Eastern States.

New York Transit	$4.50
Bradford, Pa.	4.50
Other Pennsylvania grades	4.00
Cable	2.05
Ragland	1.00
Coring	1.95
Somerset, heavy	2.15
Somerset, light	2.15

CITATION BY PUBLICATION THE STATE OF TEXAS

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Limestone County—Greeting:

You are hereby commanded, that you summon, by making publication of this citation in some newspaper published in the County of Limestone if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in any newspaper published in the Judicial District; but if there be no newspaper published in said Judicial District, then in a newspaper published in the nearest district to said Judicial District for four weeks previous to the return day hereof, B. D. Flickinger whose residence is unknown, to be and appear before me, a Justice of the Peace in and for Limestone County, at a regular term of the Justice's Court for Precinct No. 4 of said County, to be begun and holden at my office in Mexia on the 10th day of June, 1924, at ten o'clock A. M., to answer the complaint of Rogers Mercantile Company in a certain suit therein pending, in which Rogers Mercantile Company is Plaintiff, and B. D. Flickinger is Defendant.

Filed on the 26th day of April, A. D. 1924, and numbered on the Docket of said Court No. 739, the nature of the Plaintiff's demand being in substance as follows: On July 14th, 1923, at the instance and request of Defendant the Plaintiff took defendant's note in the sum of $44.50, due thirty days after date, said note providing for ten per cent attorney's fees if placed in the hands of an attorney for collection. Plaintiff says further that he placed the note in the hands of Keys & Mason, attorneys, for collection, agreeing to pay them the ten per cent attorney's fees provided for in the note, the same being reasonable attorney's fees; that the note is now past due and unpaid, and that Defendant, though often requested, has hitherto failed and refused, and still refuses, to pay the same or any part thereof, to Plaintiff's damage in the principal sum of $44.50.

Wherefore, Plaintiff prays that the Defendant be cited to appear and answer this suit; that he have judgment in the principal sum of $44.50, interest, attorney's fees and costs of suit, and for such other and further relief, general and special, in law and in equity, to which he may be justly entitled.

Herein fail not, but have then and there before said Court, at said regular term, this Writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand, this 26th day of April, A. D., 1924.

O. KENNEDY,
Justice of the Peace,
Precinct No. 4 Limestone
County, Texas.
(May 1-8-15-22)

For Mexia, I WILL.

CANDIDATES

Announcements

1924 ELECTIONS

LIMESTONE COUNTY

The following candidates for the offices named submit their names subject to the action of the Democratic primary election to be held in Limestone county on the 26th day of July, 1924:

For Governor—
FELIX G. ROBERTSON.
For Senator 13th District—
HARRY P. JORDAN
For District Judge, 77th Judicial Dis.
C. H. MACHEN
A. M. BLACKMON (Re-election.)
For Judge 87th Judicial District—
J. ROSS BELL
(Re-Election 2nd Term)
J. E. WOODS.
L. E. EUBANKS
For District Clerk—
M. A. AINSWORTH.
For Representative, Sixth Congressional District—
LUTHER A. JOHNSON
(Re-Election Sought)
For Representative Limestone County
W. P. ALEXANDER.
For County Judge—
H. F. KIRBY (Re-election sought)
JOHNSON WAKEFIELD
B. W. MILES.
For County Clerk—
J. L. DAY, (re-election.)
For County Tax Assessor—
TOM M. CAIN
R. W. (BOB) STEEN
A. A. HYDEN.
J. L. HIGGINBOTHAM
For Tax Collector—
W. A. ROBBINS. (re-election.)
For County Treasurer—
H. C. FITZGERALD.
For Sheriff—
WHIT POPEJOY (re-election.)
For Commissioner Precinct No. 4—
JOHN M. KENNEDY, (re-election)
LUTHER COX.
For County Treasurer—
MRS. LULA OATES, (re-election.)
County Attorney—
SCOTT REED (re-election, second term.)
For County School Superintendent—
J. J. BATES.
MRS. CORA FERGUSON
(Re-election.)
For Justice of the Peace, Pre. 4—
S. H. FLAKE
CHARLES L. CLOVER.
O. KENNEDY, (re-election, second term.)
For Public Weigher, Precinct No. 4
VIRGIL D. WOOD
For Constable, Precinct No. 4—
JOE P. FELZ
For Public Weigher—
ROY H. STOKES, Re-election
(Second term.)

Machines have been developed that can make 480 cigars an hour.

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EFFECTIVE 12:01 A. M. JUNE 17th.

North bound—

345	From cut-off	3:47 p. m.
15	Dallas Ft. Worth	3:44 p. m
31	Dallas Ft. Worth	12:50 p. m.
37	Dallas Ft. Worth	5:14 a. m.
17	Dallas Ft. Worth	4:35 a. m
19	Dallas Ft. Worth	3:55 a. m

South bound—

346	To cut-off	7:00 a. m
16	Houston San Antonio	11:45 a. m.
32	From Dallas	10:08 a. m.
38	Austin San Antonio	12:21 a. m.
18	Houston San Antonio	1:37 a. m.
20	Houston San Antonio	12:16 a. m.

T. & P. V.

North.
No. 8—3:25 p. m.
South.
No. 7—12:55 p. m.

Mr. and Mrs. P. S. Bonner of Ft Worth are moving to Mexia, where Mr. Bonner is to engage in the oil business.

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PROPAGANDA IS IN FAVOR OF SMITH FOR PRESIDENT

VICTORIA, May 12.—Governor Alfred E. Smith of New York or Governor Jonathan M. Davis, of Kansas, will be the Democratic standard bearer in the coming presidential campaign according to a nationwide pool of prominent men conducted by the Victoria Advocate.

If Governor Smith is nominated he will defeat President Coolidge or any other Republican, according to the Advocate's conclusions, based on a careful analysis of the opinions of prominent politicians in both parties.

Prohibition and the Ku Klux Klan will be the "disturbing factors" in the Democratic convention, the Advocate believes.

"The Klan question, intensified by W. G. McAdoo's candidacy, will drive the liquor issue into the background, and, as a stern protest against religious intolerance, Smith will be nominated and the country given its first Catholic president," the Victoria daily declared.

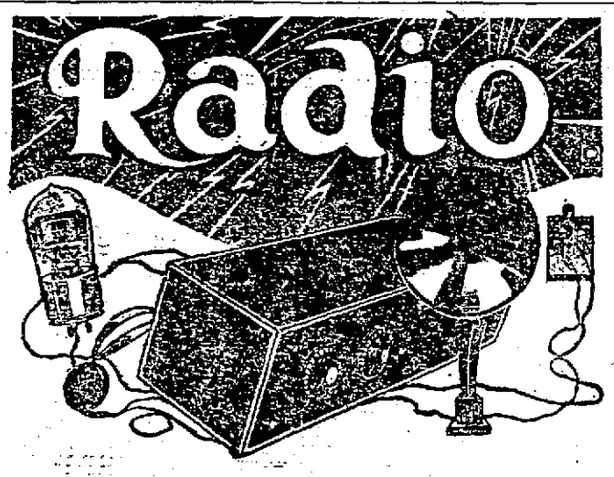
Smith, it was said, appears to be the only candidate "who appeals to the popular imagination and the only presidential possibility whose candidacy is creating real enthusiasm among any great number of people, not excepting President Coolidge, who is assured of the Republican nomination but has not excited any degree of enthusiasm anywhere, this paper's canvass shows."

Senator Samuel M. Ralston of Indiana, was favored for the vice-presidency in the Advocate's poll, with Governor Davis second and Senator Oscar Underwood of Alabama third.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN WOMEN MEET MONDAY AFTERNOON

The Women's Auxiliary of the First Presbyterian church has the following officers: Mrs. G. M. Patton, President; Mrs. W. W. Barnett, Vice President; Mrs. G. E. Mitchell, Secretary and Mrs. Z. Rochelle, Treasurer. The Auxiliary meets at the church on Monday afternoon at 3:30. A cordial invitation is always extended to this service.

A woman seldom loves her friends with the same intensity as she hates her enemies.



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Tune In Time—Central Standard Time
By DAISEY MAYS
(See Station Calls Above)
May 12, 1924

6:00 to 7:00 p. m.

WIP, 6, Uncle Wip's bedtime stories
WFI, 6, Music lessons for children.
WOAW, 6, Comedy players.
WDAF, 6 to 7, School of the Air.
WWJ, 6, Detroit News orchestra.
KGO, 6 to 7:30, Dance orchestra.
WOAW, 6:30, Randall's Royal orchestra.
WOO, 6:30, Havana Casino orchestra.
WOC, 6:30, Sandman's visit.
WGY, 6:45 Polish program, Polish songs and music.

7:00 to 8:00 p. m.

WBAV, 7, Concert, WBAV orchestra
WHB, 7 to 8, Educational features and vocal and instrumental numbers.
WOO, 7, Weekly Health talk.
WOC, 7, Lecture.
WBAP, 7:30 to 8:30, Concert.
WCX, 7:30, Sigma Alpha Iota Musical Sorority.
WAAW, 7:30, Melody Jazz orchestra.

8:00 to 9:00 p. m.

WSB, 8 to 9, Cuban pianist.
WOC, 8, Music.
WOS, 8, Musical program.
WDAF, 8 to 9:30, Formal program of popular, classical and comedy numbers.
WLW, 8, Addresses.
WOO, 8:10, Fox Theatre Grand Orchestra.
WFAA, 8:30 to 9:30, Song recital.
WMC, 8:30 Hotel Gayoso orchestra.
WLW, 8:30, Musical program.

9:00 to 10:00 p. m.

WOAW, 9, Musical program.
WLW, 9, Theatrical review; concert.
WOO, 9:03, Organ recital.
WBAP, 9:30 to 10:45, Valley View Barn Dance Orchestra.
WOO, 9:30, Havana Casino Dance Orchestra.
KGO, 10, Educational program.
KGW, 10, String Quartet.
WOC, 10, Program.
WSB, 10:45, Dixie stars.

11:00 to 12:00 Midnight.

KGW, 11:30, Old songs.
WDAF, 11:45, Nighthawk frolic.

I. E. L. CLASS ENTERTAINED IN HOME OF MRS BENNETT

The T. E. L. Class of the First Baptist church enjoyed a delightful social gathering Friday at the home of Mrs. Harvey Bennett on Main street. She was assisted in the entertainment of the members of the class and their several guests by her mother in law, Mrs. T. Bennett. The lovely home was made prettier still for the occasion by flowers placed in artistic profusion over the house. After a business session, a musical program was enjoyed, in which Mrs. Rush Allison sang a solo accompanied by Mrs. Paul Harper at the piano. For refreshments, brick ice cream and angel food cake was served.

LOST AVIATORS TRUDGE BACK TO ALASKAN SETTLEMENT

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men would be found.

Martin and Harvey underwent great hardships, they reported in a brief radio and owe their lives to "concentrated food and nerve."

The Seattle, in which they took off from Chignik in a vain attempt to catch up with the other three ships of the flight, was completely wrecked.

Word that the missing men had been found was received with tremendous relief in army air circles here as hope for them had been practically given up. Martin and Harvey reached a trapper's cabin the morning of May 7, worn, exhausted and suffering greatly from the cold. They were ill equipped for a journey on foot through the artic storms which came raging down out of Benring Sea which were the cause of their disaster.

The aviators stayed at the trapper's cabin, at the head of Port Moller Bay three days, rested and then started walking the beach while they waited for expected aid to arrive.

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CASES TO APPEAR IN 87th DISTRICT COURT

Cases docketed for appearance in the second week of the 87th District Court, beginning Monday, May 12, are as follows:

Monday

2550. Mrs. Fannie Scarborough vs. C. S. Bradley.
4014. V. A. Crawford et ux vs. A. J. Mason et al.
4206. R. L. Satterwhite vs. Holliday Construction Co.

Thursday

2956. Hyden vs. H. & T. C. R. R. Co. (2 cases).
2204 J. C. Eaves vs. Bud Kerzee.
4225. Mrs. W. B. Ballard vs. Western Union Telegraph Co.

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